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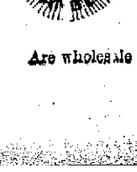

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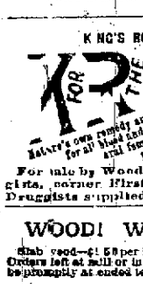

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THERE WAS RIVALRY.

Washington Wanted the Internal Revenue Collectorship,

BUT COMPROMISED ON DEPUTIES

Hermann Introduces the Wallula Land Grant Chestnut.

HARRISON WILL TAKE A REST, TOO

No More Federal Appointments for the New States Until After the 6th of January—A Disappointment.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—[OREGONIAN office, corner Fourteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue.—There was some rivalry between Oregon and Washington over securing the internal revenue collectorship for the district of Oregon. Washington felt that this office has gone to the southern half of the district long enough. There were candidates from Washington indorsed by the two senators, but Oregon won when Milton Wiedler, was appointed. Arthur A. Putnam, of Tacoma, had a fighting chance, and Congressman Wilson had recommended H. W. Fairweather, who had not announced himself a candidate. When Wiedler was appointed, as a compromise measure, Senators Dolph and Mitchell, of Oregon, agreed to give the two deputy collectorships to Washington, and thus preserve peace in the family from the far West.

Representative Hermann has submitted to congress a series of resolutions, passed by the Oregon legislature, urging the forfeiture of the Northern Pacific railroad grant between Wallula and Portland, Or. The resolutions recite the various difficulties which this grant puts in the way to the development of the country. Senator Dolph and Representative Hermann are confident that such a measure as the above will become a law early in the session.

Curt Abraham of Roseburg, Or., has been appointed postal agent between Portland and Airlie on that line of railway.

The president is going to get as much of a holiday, while congress has its three weeks of recess, as he can. The announcement is made from the White house that appointments to federal positions need not be expected until after January 6, when the two houses come together again. If this applies to the new states it will leave a somewhat unusual condition of affairs. Montana, Washington and North Dakota have been full fledged states for two months, and as yet there are no federal courts organized in them. No judges have been appointed or other officials under the judges. This, however, is due to the fact that recommendations have not been made by the senators and congressmen here. In fact the delegations from the new states seem to be bothered about a choice of candidates more than those in old states. Oregon's delegation set an example on Thursday last by holding a conference and presenting a unanimous front in a complete list of presidential appointments. The senators from Washington and North Dakota have had consultations, but have not sent in recommendations. The candidates are many from both states. The candidates from Montana are waiting for the election of senators.

Senators Squire and Allen, of Washington, and Dolph and Mitchell, of Oregon, will remain in the city most of the recess. Senator Pierce, of North Dakota, has gone to the Northwest. Congressman Carter, of Montana is preparing his argument for the committee on ways and means on the subject of ores and minerals. He said to-day: "I shall urge that the tariff remain as it is for the most part. The clause relating to lead ores I would have so amended as to impose a tariff on lead in whatever combination it may be found."

The reported quarrel between the president and Speaker Reed is entirely without foundation. The speaker denies the story in an unqualified manner. Reed has not been for some time on very good terms with the Maine senators, and they desire another person appointed, but he has no quarrel with the president.

The retention of Congressman McKenna of California on the census committee, is regarded by his friends as important politically, from the fact that either that committee or the one on the elections of the president and congress will be charged with the reapportionment under the census of 1890, and as all matters passed by the Pan-American and maritime congress will go to the foreign affairs committee Morrow's retention on it is a matter of importance. All the California members are intensely pleased with the recognition accorded to the state. Congressmen Clunie and Biggs say the republicans have done splendidly by them and that the credit of recognition accorded the minority is due to the majority. The delegation has worked in harmony and has secured representation on nearly all leading committees for the first time in the history of the state.

Senator Stanford yesterday made his customary Christmas present of $5 to each page in the senate.

There has been a hitch in the Chinese transit bonds. The instruments were printed, but a halt has been called, the California delegation demanding a hearing. There is now a doubt whether Secretary Windom will approve of the bond. The bond calls for $200 for each Chinaman.

A UNIFORM BANKRUPTCY LAW.

Provisions of the Bill Introduced in the House by Congressman Taylor.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The principal features of the bill introduced in the house on Friday by Congressman Taylor, to enact a uniform bankruptcy law, are as follows

United States courts are declared to be courts of bankruptcy. The offices of referee—that is, assistant judge—and trustee, who is the representative of the creditors, have been created. A debtor must owe $500 or more before he or she can become a bankrupt. The act does not apply to municipal, charitable and religious associations, wage workers, persons engaged exclusively in raising agricultural products, or national banks. All other persons, firms and corporations may take advantage of its provisions. The referee is paid out of the national treasury and not out of the assets.

Bankruptcy officers are all interested in expediting business. The clerk receives a filing fee of $10 in advance. The referee receives, in addition to his salary of $1,000, $10 for each case disposed of after the records have been returned to the clerk. The trustee receives a commission upon the actual dividends paid out, and hence all of them are interested in winding up estates as rapidly as their best interests will permit. Expenses of administration will not be paid, or allowed, until they have been reported in detail, under oath, and allowed by the court.

The United States district attorney may be required by the court, upon application of creditors, to attend the first meeting of creditors and examine the bankrupt concerning the amount and whereabouts of his assets, the conducting of his business, and all matters pertaining to the administration of the estate. If it be found that fraud has been perpetrated by either the bankrupt or the persons with whom he has dealt, it is the duty of the district attorney to lay the matter before the grand jury and to prosecute such persons as may be indicted.

The same officer may in like manner be required to appear at the hearings of bankrupts for their discharge and to oppose the granting of the same. This provision of the bill is new and is designed to facilitate the prosecution of fraudulent bankrupts, dishonest creditors, and defaulting officers. Great care has been taken in the provisions relating to the discharge of the bankrupt, to the end that all honest men may be relieved from their indebtedness and that all dishonest men may be debarred from receiving their discharge. Discharges may be set aside, if fraudulently obtained, upon application made within two years.

Trustees who default, or are removed for malfeasance or misfeasance, may be deprived of all compensation. When there are successive trustees in the same estate, they collectively receive but a single compensation. The death of a bankrupt will not interfere with the administration of the estate. The exemptions of the bankrupt will be the same as under the laws of the state in which he lives at the time of the filing of the petition. Controversies may be adjusted by agreement, arbitration, compromise or litigation.

Claims may be proved by the affidavit of the creditor. They will be allowed as of course, if objections are filed an allowance will be set aside and a hearing will be had as to the merits of the case. Dividends will be paid as soon as the cash in the hands of the trustee will warrant it, and as often thereafter as the best interests of the estate will permit. Notices will be published in designated new papers. Cash will be deposited in a bank or banks chosen by the courts. They will give bonds for the safekeeping and return of funds. Money can be paid out by trustees only upon check or draft. All officers handling money will be required to give ample bonds.

THAT WHISKY PUNCH.

The Temperance Fanatics Still Insist That Mrs Harrison Brewed It.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Mrs. Harrison is deluged with letters about that historical "whisky punch," which she did not give to the Pan-American delegates a few months ago, but which many temperance fanatics are bound to believe she did. A specimen letter recently received by Mrs Harrison, runs like this:

"Can it be possible that the contents of this slip of paper is true? I cut it out of a little paper called the *Journal*. I could not bring myself to think it true. But if it be, then, Mrs. Harrison, stop and think of what an awful mistake you have made by putting the bottle in our neighbors' mouths. Just to think that you will your honored husband, were placed at the head of our nation, for what purpose? Was it, oh, was it, to deal out death and damnation to your fellow beings who, with yourself, were created? Alas, I feel as if the name of Harrison was polluted. I had a dear brother of that name who would have died for the cause of temperance. I am glad he is not alive to know such an awful disgraceful act took place in the executive mansion. Look back at the lovely example Mrs. Hayes left you, and in the name of God, who has said, "Ba ye clean who bear the vessels of the Lord?" and in the name and for the sake of suffering, do, oh do let it be the last. Pardon me, if you consider my language too severe, but you know nothing of the real, intense agony which mothers, wives and children endure by this awful traffic. Will you, oh will you, still continue to make drunkards while you read in you Bible that no drunkards shall enter the kingdom of heaven? I leave this with you. Take it to the Lord in prayer. I am your friend. (Signed). MRS. —.

HAIL, MALIETOA, KING OF SAMOA!

Triumph of American Diplomacy in Restoring Peace to the Islands.

APIA, Samoa, Dec. 7.—[Per steamer Alameda to San Francisco, Dec. 22.]—King Malietoa has at last been formally recognized as ruler of Samoa by the consuls of the United States, Great Britain and Germany. About a month ago the consuls issued a proclamation declaring that the Berlin conference had agreed to recognize Malietoa as King, and advising the natives to acknowledge him as such. Tamasese replied by saying that his followers were willing that such a course should be taken. Malietoa and Mataafa agreed to the suggestion, and the native chiefs of the island also signed a document, acknowledging Malietoa as king.

Accordingly, on December 5, Malietoa's flag was hoisted on the site of the old government house and the United States man-of-war Adams fired a salute of twenty-one guns in its honor. The German war ship Sophie, which was also lying in the harbor, did not fire a salute. The consuls held a conference on the same evening and issued a proclamation declaring that the governments of the United States, Great Britain and Germany from this time recognize Malietoa as king of Samoa. The proclamation also advised the two native parties which have been hitherto opposed to each other to effect an ultimate reconciliation as soon as possible and contribute to peaceable management of the new Samoan government. The proclamation was printed in the English and Samoan languages and posted in various places of the island.

The opinion is generally expressed that this action on the part of the three consuls is the ultimate settlement of the Samoan difficulty.

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A CARNIVAL OF CRIME

Horrible Butchery of a Whole Family by the Father.

THREE CHILDREN, ONE A BABY

The Poor Wife Makes a Desperate but Unavailing Fight.

A CALIFORNIA FATHER'S DEED

Too Drunken and Shiftless to Care for His Children He Shoots His Daughter and Fails to Kill Himself.

NILES, Cal., Dec. 22.—The community was startled this evening by the discovery of one of the most wholesale and bloody butcheries that has ever occurred in this section of the state. The victims, five in number, are Charles Shelar, and wife, and three children, and the crime is supposed to have taken place at an early hour this morning. When the inhuman deed was discovered at 5 o'clock this evening, all five bodies were stiff and cold in death, with their throats cut from ear to ear. Shelar and his wife were lying together across the foot of the bed, and the three children were on the floor in different parts of the house. Shelar of late drank heavily, and it is rumored that he and his wife did not live happily. The theory advanced is, that Shelar, in a fit of madness, cut the throats of his wife and children and then his own. Shelar purchased a razor on Saturday evening.

Kittie McKay, a little sister of the murdered woman, came to the discovery of the tragedy. She went to the house to deliver some milk, as usual, and was unable to gain admittance. Charles Mossman was in the vicinity, and she told him about it. He went with her to the rear of the house, and finding the door open, entered. The first door of the house was deserted, but a terrible sight met their eyes in the second story. The dead baby was on the floor in one room, two murdered children with gaping, bloody throats lay in their bed in another chamber, while the murderer and his wife lay dead upon their own couch. It appeared that the wife was the first victim and that she made a desperate fight for her life. The broken handle of the razor was found by her side. Then came the bloody slaughter of the children. The murderer then, apparently took a lamp, went to the mirror, and deliberately cut his own throat, and staggering to where his wife lay, threw himself upon her body. The scene of the tragedy was sickening. Niles is intensely excited, and strong men who viewed the bodies turned faint and rushed into the open air, while women had to be borne out of the house. The only theory advanced thus far as to the cause of the crime is insanity.

MURDERED IN COLD BLOOD.

A Father Stabs His Daughter Through the Heart, Then Cuts His Throat.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 22.—William Eubanks, a widower, aged about 45 years, this morning at about 10 o'clock went to the kitchen door of the Leth house at Los Gatos, where his daughter Ada, 16 years of age, was employed, and shot her through the heart with the contents of one barrel of a shotgun, she falling and dying instantly. He turned the other barrel on himself and also fell, but it was subsequently ascertained suffered no injury. He then went into an adjoining saloon, and after taking a drink of liquor, went up stairs and gashed his throat from ear to ear with a razor, but did not cut deep enough to endanger his life, the wound being promptly dressed. A letter scrawled in a memorandum book in his pocket announces his intention to kill himself and his daughter, stating that he can not get along on her account, and on that of his children. An hour before the shooting he had been reproached by his wife for his treatment of the children, and this may have prompted the act. The murdered girl left her father's house six weeks ago to escape abuse, and had since worked in the house where she was killed. Los Gatos people all give the girl an excellent reputation for industry and other good qualities and say her father's only ground for complaint was that she insisted on using her slender earnings for the support of her younger brothers and sisters in place of giving them to him to squander for whisky.

In an interview with jail Eubanks said he did not want to live because of the girl's immorality. He explained his failure to shoot himself by saying that he must have put both charges of shot in one barrel. His wife died, two years ago. He is a laborer, and is said to be strongly addicted to the use of liquor.

AN INHUMAN SKIPPER.

Sailors Tell a Story of Cruelty at the Hands of Their Ship's Officer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—When the American ship Robert L. Belknap dropped anchor this morning off Bedloe's island, after a long passage from San Francisco, a half dozen sailors jumped into a small boat and hurriedly pulled to the Battery. They were greatly excited, and seemed glad to be liberated from the clipper, which they characterized as the "worst" they ever sailed in. They stated that the first mate had been in irons for nearly two months. While off Cape Horn the mate quarreled with a seaman, and the latter was thrown overboard by him and drowned. The mate was considered a severe character, and never allowed the forecastle hands any peace while he was at liberty. He often picked quarrels with the men and maltreated them on the slightest provocation. The Belknap is under command of Captain Staples, who is considered a fine master and has been in the habit of carrying on with brutal officers. The vessel left New York a year ago for San Francisco, and on arrival at the Golden Gate her crew told a pitiful story of cruelty on the part of the captain and officers. The Belknap is considered the finest clipper in the American fleet.

WHITES VS. NEGROES AGAIN.

A Fight Between a White Man and a Negro Brings on a Race War.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 22.—Meager reports have been received of a riot in progress at Peots' Camp, Miss., sixty-five miles from Memphis. The trouble was precipitated by a fight between a white man and a negro, in which the latter was worsted. He went out from town, collected a party of friends and returned to clean out the victor. The whites rallied and a fight ensued, in which half the people were wounded but none killed. The latest advices were that everybody was in arms, and further trouble is expected.

LATER.—Advices this evening state that three of the negroes were arrested and lynched. About 11 o'clock an unsuccessful attempt was made to release the prisoners, by the blacks, when a riot ensued, and two negroes, Tom McGhee and Henry Starks were killed outright, and another negro seriously, shot. Trouble originated about the ownership of a dog. Rumors are afloat of squads of negroes collecting in the country, but they lack confirmation.

HE INVITED HIS FATE.

A Man In Quits His Former Wife and Is Fatally Stabbed.

PENSACOLA Dec. 22.—J. M. Thompson and J. T. Carter, both prominent citizens, engaged in a fight in the street yesterday, in which Carter was stabbed and killed. The story of the crime concerns Mrs. Thompson, who was the divorced wife of Carter. Carter failed to properly provide for her support. A year ago she married Thompson. Since then Carter has repeatedly insulted her. Yesterday while Thompson and his wife were walking on the street Carter passed, applying to Mrs. Thompson as he brushed by her an objectionable epithet, which her husband resented. The two men exchanged and the stabbing followed. Public sentiment is strongly with Thompson.

In cases of severe and sudden colds, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral if used according to directions, is a sure cure. Ask for Ayer's almanac.

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THROUGH TO SALT LAKE

The Union Pacific Widening Its Narrow Gauge.

CLOSE CONNECTION WITH PORTLAND

A Saving of Six Hours on Passenger Travel and a Whole Day on Freight Shipments.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—A local paper says: Another instance of the enterprise of the Union Pacific Company was learned at the local offices yesterday. At present the company has a narrow gauge line from Ogden to Pocatello, which prevents trains from Portland running into Salt Lake without making a detour of over 100 miles. Last week contracts were let for broad-gauging this line. Not only will this change overcome the difficulty referred to, but cars can then be run straight through from Salt Lake to Helena and Butte, Mont., as well as from San Francisco over the Central Pacific to the same places. At present a change of cars is absolutely necessary, and freight has to be transferred from narrow gauge to broad gauge cars, or vice versa.

The contract has been let to Kilpatrick & Collins, and work is to be commenced at once. When completed a saving of at least one day will be made on freight shipments, and of six hours on passenger travel.

MEXICAN RAILROAD AFFAIRS.

The Loan for Construction of Roads Negotiated—English Capital Coming In.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—Announcement of the success of the Mexican loan has created considerable excitement. The press took up the question and demanded an explanation from the government which has been denying that the negotiations for the loan were on foot. Now the official gazette says that it is true the government negotiated the loan, but that it is intended for the construction of the Tehuantepec railroad. The loan was placed in different European money centers, and in Germany it was taken ten times over. On the Monterey and Gulf railroad work is progressing rapidly. Officials of the Mexican railroad (to Vera Cruz) say that the Inter-Oceanic railroad is not hurting their business. An English company recently made an offer for the government telegraph lines, which was refused. The same company now bids for the concession of the line to the Guatemalan frontier with franchises through the country east and west. It also proposes to establish lines throughout Central America.

"BRONCHO LIZ" ACQUITTED.

The Killing of Her Recreant Husband Considered Justifiable.

SPOKANE FALLS, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—The jury in the case of Mrs. Ione Skeels who shot and killed her husband, Charles W. Skeels, in this city the first of last March, brought in a verdict of acquittal after being out forty-eight hours. Previous to her marriage with Skeels, Mrs. Skeels was known as "Broncho Liz." She met Skeels in the Coeur d'Alene mines. Skeels at that time had a wife and two children. He became smitten with "Broncho Liz" and induced her to dress in male attire and accompany him to his father's farm where he introduced her to his family. She worked on the place as a farm hand for several months without her sex being discovered. Skeels then sent her to Choteau, Mont., where he followed her. Subsequently he secured a divorce from his wife and married "Broncho Liz" at Moscow, Idaho, January 2, 1888. He again sent her to Montana, where she remained until February last, when she joined Skeels in this city, where he was in business. He began paying attentions to other women, and on the morning of March 1 his wife learned he was in a building known as "Actors' Flat," where he had spent the night with Frankie Howard, a variety actress. Mrs. Skeels armed herself with a pistol, and proceeding to the building enticed her husband from the room by sending word by a messenger boy that he was wanted at his place of business. As soon as he appeared in the hall she fired three shots, all of which took effect. He died the following day. The trial lasted nine days and excited great interest.

THE BRIDEGROOM'S WRATH.

It Is Now Cooling in the Interior of a Port Townsend Jail.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—Sheriff Kelly, of San Juan county, arrived in this city this morning with Martin Phillips, the bridegroom who shot John Hall and John Graham while they were giving him a charivari last Tuesday night. Hall was shot so seriously that he died at 10 o'clock Friday and was buried to-day at 1 o'clock. Graham is expected to recover.

Phillips had a hearing before Justice Coffett, on Lopez Island, last Tuesday, and was bound over on a charge of attempt to kill those who were engaged in the charivari. Phillips was then taken to Friday harbor and from there to Argyle, and was brought to this city this morning and was placed in the county jail for safe keeping.

The feeling against Phillips is said to be very strong throughout San Juan county, on Lopez Island. Threats of lynching were openly made, but better judgment prevailed, and the law will be allowed to take its course. Mr. Phillips seems to be deeply distressed over the unfortunate affair, and at times talked freely about it. He has always been on the best of terms with both Hall and Graham, and it seems impossible to account for his rash act in this instance.

Martin Phillips has always been highly esteemed by all who knew him. He is a young man of exemplary habits, and has always counted his friends by his acquaintances. His friends will sincerely trust that he will be able to clear himself of this charge, which they seem so much at a loss to account for.

A REMARKABLE CASE.

A Prominent Tacoma Attorney Lying at the Point of Death.

TACOMA, Dec. 22.—Harry J. Huston, deputy district attorney, and a widely known citizen of Pierce county, lies at the point of death from a disorder which creates much interest among the medical fraternity. He tried a case on Friday afternoon and appeared in usual health, excepting a pain in the abdomen, of which he complained. This morning a counsel of physicians informed Mr. Huston that the probabilities were all against his recovery from the "collapse" into which he had sunk. After every effort had failed to revive the heart, Dr. T. F. Smith, assisted by several surgeons, opened the abdomen and found a large and inflamed perforation of the vermiform appendix, an attachment of the lower bowels, caused by a date seed which was extracted. The case is a study to the doctors, owing to the absence of severe distress to the patient. The operation was successfully performed and was considered the only chance, if chance there existed, for life. The crisis is not expected to be passed for twenty-four hours.

Harvey Huston is 32 years of age, a graduate of the high school at Terre Haute, Ind., and of the law department of Vanderbilt university. He has practiced law in this city since 1887, being highly esteemed and successful.

HE MET HIS DEATH.

A Would-Be Homicide Is Killed in Self-Defense by His Son-in-Law.

BUTTE, Dec. 22.—John O'Neill died this morning at the residence of Frank Harris, his son-in-law, by whom he was shot on Saturday night. O'Neill and his wife separated some months ago, Mrs. O'Neill going to Wyoming. She returned on Saturday and went to Harris's house, where her husband sought her, and after abusing her, pulled a pistol and shot at her. Harris had tried to prevent it, but seeing that O'Neill was determined to kill, endeavored to take his weapon from him. O'Neill then fired at Harris but missed him, when Harris drew his weapon and fired two shots, both taking effect. The coroner's jury to-day returned a verdict of justifiable homicide.

DEATH OF AN EX-CONGRESSMAN.

He Was Threatened With Expulsion Thirty Years Ago.

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 22.—Hon. Orsamus B. Mattison died to-day, aged 84. He was a representative in congress from this district in the thirty-first, thirty-third, thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth congresses. While in congress in 1858-59, Mattison was charged with declaring that a large number of members of congress were purchasable. The affair caused great excitement in congress and throughout the country. A resolution ordering his expulsion was offered in the house, but after a long and bitter debate it was tabled before it could be called up again. Mattison resigned his seat. About this time a number of congressmen and other prominent persons in the National hotel in Washington, were poisoned. It was believed to be a pro-slavery plot to murder President-elect Buchanan, and sent Vice-President Breckinridge. Mattison was one of those poisoned and came very near dying; in fact his health was affected permanently.

THE HOUSE COINAGE COMMITTEE.

The Friends of Silver Strongly Represented—Not Radical, However.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—A special dispatch from Washington, referring to the make-up of the house coinage committee, says the reporter endeavored to learn the leanings of the members, but several of them were out of the city and could not be seen personally. Carter, Bartine, Bland and Joseph are for free coinage of silver. The latter, however, has no vote on the committee, as he is a delegate and not a representative, but his influence will be felt. Williams is said to be a very strong silver man, though not committed to unlimited coinage as yet. Those who believe in silver, though not in free coinage, are Conger, Wickham, Comstock and Taylor. Mutchler is conservative but rather friendly than otherwise. The anti-silver men are Walter, Knapp, Tracy and Wilcox. This is a much stronger silver committee than was anticipated from Reed, and it is reasonable to expect from it legislation of an advanced character.

GRAVEYARD GHOULS.

A Prominent Physician in Washington to Be Tried for Grave Robbery.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Dr. Adams, demonstrator in one of the medical colleges here, will be brought into court to-morrow on a charge of being concerned in grave robbery. On Friday night the police stopped a carriage near the outskirts of the city containing two bodies, one colored and one white. The driver and two other men with the vehicle escaped. The body of the white woman has been identified as that of Mrs. Cheek, the wife of a gentleman living in this city. Her ears had been foully mutilated and her fingers bruised by the force with which the robbers had stripped them of rings in order that they might not be held on the serious charge of larceny if caught with the body. The law here makes no provision for the punishment of grave robbery.

THE SMITH-SLAVIN FIGHT.

It Will Take Place To-day and Will Probably Not Be a Square Contest.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—The *Herald's* London cable says: Slavin left Margate last night, after obtaining bail, and proceeded to the scene of the fight. Smith had already gone. The general impression is that it will not be a square fight. This means that if Smith enters the ring and is getting the worst of it there will be a row, and perhaps blood will be spilled. The betting is 60 to 40 on Slavin.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—It is stated that the fight between Slavin, the Australian pugilist, and Jem Smith will take place to-morrow forenoon at Bruges, Belgium.

NO LONGER A BAPTIST.

Another Case of Robert Elsmere Reported in San Francisco.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—At a congregational meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church it has been decided to extend a call to Rev. William Kincaid, recently pastor of the First Baptist church of San Francisco. Kincaid resigned the pastorate at that church several weeks ago, being convinced that he could no longer preach the doctrine of the Baptist church. Notwithstanding his change of views the congregation opposed separation, and expressed an earnest desire for the continuance of the relations previously existing.

NEWSPAPER CENSORS.

An Editor Must Give Up His Paper or His Church.

ERIE, Pa., Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—Robert Cornell, editor and proprietor of the *Sunday Globe*, a new publication in this city, has been given the choice of abandoning the publication of his paper or having his name stricken from the roll of members of the First Presbyterian church. Cornell is a very exemplary young man, but recently created a stir in society circles by publishing matters that were offensive, and this is said to be the cause of the threatened expulsion.

ARTIFICIAL VOLCANO IN NEW YORK.

Gas Explosion in an Electric Subway Scatters Stones in a Crowded Street.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Another explosion of gas in an electric subway occurred last evening at Sixth avenue and Twenty-ninth street, while the avenues were crowded with ladies out shopping.

A great mass of paving stones, etc., was thrown in the air, and scores of people covered with dirt or struck by flying fragments. Many were knocked down, but fortunately few were injured.

HENRY W. GRADY DYING.

The Advocate of the New South in a Critical Condition.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 22.—Henry W. Grady grew rapidly worse to-day and to-night he is believed to be dying.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

It was announced yesterday that the Emperor William has recovered from his illness.

The unfinished blood horse races at San Francisco have been declared off for the season.

A rich silver strike twenty miles from Oro Grande, Southern California, causes great excitement in mining circles.

Wong Ah Hing, a Chinaman who murdered his uncle, has been sentenced to be hanged at San Francisco February 14, 1890.

A family named Wilhelm, consisting of a man, wife and child, were asphyxiated by gas from a coal stove Friday night at Akron, O.

James Douglass, fireman of steamer Jacinto on the Sacramento river, dropped dead of heart disease, while working on the boat.

Elton Fay, a chemist, who was found in a lodging house in New York suffering from cocaine poisoning, died last night.

Christ Batz, a worthless character, on Saturday killed his wife and then committed suicide, in a fit of drunken rage, at Owatonna, Minn.

The Rawlins and White River stage, in Wyoming, was held up Saturday night by two masked men, who took $150 from the passengers and all the registered mail.

At Los Angeles the jury in the case of Robert Campbell in his second trial, for killing Boyd at Acton, returned a verdict of manslaughter, with recommendations to mercy.

Mrs. Christopher Buckley, late wife of the leader of the San Francisco democracy, was buried Saturday from St. Dominic's Catholic church, the funeral being largely attended.

Dr. Damaschino, a leading physician of Paris, is dead. His death is due to influenza and weakness of the heart. This is the fifth death from influenza since the outbreak of the epidemic.

Xavier Francois Picanez, a French burglar and murderer, who fled to this country four years ago, was arrested in the Bardee coal mines, Pennsylvania, nearly a mile underground, by a detective, and is now held for extradition.

Senator Stanford is going to New England on Monday to attend a conference with leading educators there with a view of selecting a president for his university. This puts to rest the report that the senator intended to occupy this position himself.

Arrested for Robbing Letters.

DENVER, Dec. 22.—Joseph Woodward, delivery clerk in the Denver postoffice, was arrested last night while attempting to pass a check for $1100, made out in favor of Henry Bohm, a jewelry dealer in this city. To-day he confessed that he had taken the check from an immediate delivery letter addressed to Bohm. The postoffice officials say that this kind of robbery has been going on for some months. Another arrest is expected to be made to-morrow.

BUFFALO Dec. 22.—Warren F. Hedstrom, mailing clerk in the postoffice here, has been arrested for opening letters and destroying their contents. In his pockets were two decoy letters and eight other letters, which had been mailed at Buffalo on Saturday.

California Pioneers.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—The society of California pioneers met yesterday and completed temporary organization. It was decided to retain the temporary chairman, Dr. J. Ward Ellis, as president of the society until January 1st, on which date the first annual banquet will be held and permanent officers elected. It is proposed to admit sons of pioneers to membership.

Central and Northern Pacific Earnings.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—The net earnings of the Central Pacific for the month of October were $674,652, making the total net earnings from January 1 to November 1 $4,946,382. The net earnings of the Northern Pacific for the month of November were $1,010,000; net earnings for the first five months of the fiscal year, $1,731,734.

Bank Failure in Nebraska.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 22.—The failure is announced of the Nebraska State bank, at Pawnee City. The liabilities are unknown. E. F. Hempsted, president of the bank, who is also the president of the Electric Light Company, turned over to the creditors all of his property, amounting to about $40,000.

A Town Suffers From Fire.

BUTLER, Penn., Dec. 22.—The business portion and many residences of the little town of Patrolia burned this morning. The fire plugs were filled with mud and no water could be had. The loss is estimated at between $85,000 and $100,000. The merchants carried little if any insurance.

Clearing House Exchanges.

BOSTON, Dec. 22.—A table compiled from dispatches from clearing houses in the United States shows the total gross exchanges for the week ended December 21, 1889, to be $1,134,407,850, an increase of 4.7 per cent, as compared with the corresponding week of last year.

Jake Kilrain Matched.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—Jake Kilrain and Felix Vaquelin, a local heavyweight have been matched to fight for $2000; $1500 to go to winner and $500 to the loser, under Marquis of Queensberry rules. The fight will come off January 29.

Cold Weather in Winnipeg.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 22.—A cold wave seems to be approaching from the Northwest. The signal service reports that the thermometer to-night registered at Winnipeg, zero. Calgarry two below, L'Apello four below, Prince Albert twenty-two below.

Dyspepsia, sick headache, heartburn, indigestion, etc., are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"Kittie, see my Christmas present. This is one of Gordan Bros.' uncalled-for suits that they sell for cost of making; it fits me fine."

Pullman reservations made for all points East via the Northern Pacific railroad, the vestibuled sleeper and dining-car line Office, No. 121 First street, cor. Washington

THE CALIFORNIA RAINS.

A Steady Downpour for the Past Twenty-four Hours.

RIVERS AGAIN RISING RAPIDLY

Still Greater Damage Feared This Time—Some Heavy Losses of Sheep — The Levees Should All Be Rebuilt.

COLUSA, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—The river stands twenty-five feet above low water mark and is rising fast. It has been raining steadily for twenty-four hours and still continues. This afternoon there was no prospect of clear weather. Nearly all the large landowners on Grand island have suffered losses except A. H. Rose, one of the head men in the reclamation company. The general opinion is that his lands will be flooded if the high winds now blowing continue many more hours.

At Princeton, fifteen miles above here, the Sacramento river lacks only two feet of being as high as at any previous period.

HEAVY LOSSES OF SHEEP.

RED BLUFF, Dec. 22—[Special Telegram.]—It rained in torrents last night and to-day a terrific wind and rain storm prevailed, the worst of the season. The river is rising again and it is rapidly nearing the sixteen-foot mark. Stockmen claim to have sustained heavy losses of sheep, and if the rain continues the loss will be equal to that of '77 and '78.

STILL RAINING HARD.

MARYSVILLE, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—There has been a heavy down-fall of rain in this city since morning. It is still raining. The rivers are about at a standstill, but are expected to rise during the night.

A STEAMER ON A RANCH.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—While on the way from San Francisco to this city last night, the steamer Modoc got into a terrific current and was swept through the broken levee of the Sacramento river on to the Payne ranch. The passengers were badly scared and feared they would be dashed to death against the buildings and trees. The boat was unable to back out. Finally a rope was made fast to a tree and the pilot succeeded in turning her around when she managed with difficulty to reach the main channel again.

THE RAIN STILL FALLING.

MARYSVILLE, Cal., Dec. 22—Rain fell here the most of last night and the greater part of to-day. The Yuba river has risen about six inches this afternoon and is still rising about an inch an hour. Snow fell last night to the depth of from six to ten inches within ten miles east of this city.

TO REBUILD THE LEVEES.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 22.—P. A. Humbert, one of the civil engineers who inspected the break in the levee at Payne's ranch, has made a report to the governor, in which he says the opening can easily be repaired in its present stage, and no time should be lost in doing so, as obstructions may form in the main channel which will impede navigation. He is of the opinion that the levee system along the river is not properly constructed, and that congress should provide at once for rebuilding them.

A TEMPESTUOUS VOYAGE.

The Steamer Brittanic Meets a Terrific Gale Lasting Five Days.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—The steamer Brittanic arrived this morning after a tempestuous voyage of eight days from Liverpool. She presented a battered appearance externally and her red funnels were encrusted with brine. During the storm which lasted five days everything moveable was swept from the decks and the terrific waves crushed a section of the bridge on the starboard side. Two of her life boats were stove in. Two sailors were thrown against the gunwale and seriously injured.

EXPERIENCE OF OTHER VESSELS.

BOSTON, Dec. 22.—The steamer British Empire arrived to-day from London. She reports a tempestuous voyage. On the 15th inst. a tremendous sea broke on board, doing great damage. Quartermaster Smith, who was on deck at the time, was thrown down and severely injured.

The brig Screamer, which arrived to-day from Pascagoula reports that on November 28, First Mate Boyard was washed overboard and drowned.

WORK OF THE STORM KING.

A Cyclone Sweeps Over a Kentucky Town Doing Great Damage.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 22.—The town of Pineville, Ky., was visited by a destructive storm of wind and rain early this morning. Several dwellings and three business houses were swept away by a cyclone which passed through the country town. Grant and James North, brothers, received serious injuries. These were the only ones hurt although several people had miraculous escapes. The loss is estimated at about $50,000.

A MIDWINTER THUNDER STORM.

The Singular Phenomenon That Visited Buffalo, N. Y.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—This city was visited by a singular phenomenon, a midwinter thunder storm early this morning. The thunder peals were terrific and the lightning almost continuous. The wind blew at the rate of sixty miles per hour. Several small buildings partially collapsed and other slight damage was done.

SAN FRANCISCO WHEAT CHARTERS.

Few Vessels in Port, but Tonnage of a Great Fleet Is Engaged.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—Wheat charters have been closed for the only available wooden ships in port. They are the Don Nicolas, J. D. Peters and Malay. The Peters may go into the grain trade, but has of late been in the coal trade. The others are coal vessels. Two wooden vessels arrived from Italy yesterday under charter to load barley for Australia.

There have been no barley shipments this month. Recently 8000 tons of rye was sold for export to Europe. Small shipments of this grain to Europe occured a few years ago.

The only free iron ships in port are the Annie Johnson, Kenilworth, Phasis and Seafarer. The last-named arrived from Australia yesterday, and the Phasis only commenced to discharge cargo a few days ago. The Kenilworth was damaged by fire last October and will need extensive repairs. The Annie Johnson is practically out of the wheat trade. The only disengaged vessels in port at this writing suitable for the wheat trade are the Phasis and Seafarer, and both of these can get 37s 6d for Cork. There is only one free vessel at lower coast ports, and that is the Hecla, which arrived at San Diego on the 17th, from Baltimore.

Fortunately, exporters are well supplied with tonnage, and there is a considerable amount due. There are now fifty-four vessels in port under engagements to take grain. These register 85,000 tons and will take 140,000 tons. This is the largest engaged fleet in a long time. The list includes thirty-three prior to arrival charters. If exporters did not take another vessel, they have tonnage enough to carry them to the 1st of February.

LATEST NEWS FROM AUSTRALIA.

Particulars of Sickness and Death of Henry E. Searle—A Severe Hailstorm.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—[Special Telegram.]—Australian papers, which arrived by steamer yesterday, contain particulars of the sickness and death of Henry E. Searle, the champion single sculler of the world. From reports in the Sydney *Star*, it seems that Searle left England with Neil Matterson, the English champion oarsman. When they reached Colombo, Ceylon, where the steamer stops about a day, Searle was induced to take a hand in a game of cricket. He was warned of the danger of exercising without proper protection for his head in the sun, but he refused a pith helmet and havelock and played in a simple skull cap. In a short time he became faint and dizzy, and a doctor declared that he was suffering from an unusually severe case of sunstroke. He was removed to the ship and everything possible was done for him, but typhoid fever set in and he was very low during the voyage. Arriving at Adelaide he was placed, as it was deemed best, in the new sanitarium at Williamstown near Melbourne. There he seemed better for a few days, but in the relapse he died. Toward the end the disease changed to enteric fever. The doctors attributed his death directly to the sunstroke at Colombo.

A RAINY SEASON.

In all parts of New South Wales the season has been very wet, the dryest place in the colony having received twenty-one inches of rain. In the Moulamein district four inches of rain fell in one hour. The hay crops have suffered and harvest operations have been hindered. The damp weather has, in many districts, brought rust to the wheat, thus spoiling the crop, which otherwise would have been the largest known for many years. It still bids fair, however, to be up to the average.

HAILSTONES AS LARGE AS CRICKET BALLS.

A South special of November 26 to the Sydney *Herald* says: The weather for the last few days has been intensely hot, the thermometer reaching over 100 in the shade. At about noon to-day a heavy storm could be seen rising from the south. At 2:30 o'clock the wind blew very hard for a few minutes, when the largest hailstones ever seen in this district commenced to fall. During the storm chunks of ice as large as cricket balls fell in the street. Nearly every window in the town was broken, and almost every sheet of iron in Matthew's ball is perforated with holes. The courthouse, Royal hotel, Telegraph hotel and all buildings covered with iron roofs were perforated by the falling hailstones. A number of dogs and other animals about town were killed during the storm. Gardens in town are stripped of every vestige of fruit and leaves. Fully five inches of rain fell within a half hour.

THE PRACTICE OF CANNIBALISM.

The Sydney *Herald* contains a letter from Captain Woodhouse, who has charge of the trading schooner, the Emma Fisher, which gives brief particulars of the perpetration of further atrocities on traders and the practice of cannibalism by the natives of one of the Solomon islands. The Emma Fisher had fallen in company with the schooner Enterprise, from which it was gleaned that a boat-steerer on board the Enterprise, named Nelson, had been killed and eaten, together with three others, natives. Nelson is given as a native of Norway. It appears the natives came off near Rubiana, in the Solomon group, and represented they wanted to dispose of some copra. Nelson and three of the native crew on board the Enterprise were thus induced to land in the schooner's boat and proceeded to the village. While in the act of stooping to pick a handful of copra up Nelson was felled by a blow on the back of the head from an ax or tomahawk and before his companions could regain the boat they were similarly massacred. It is reported the bodies were then roasted and eaten.

Captain Cable, a shipmaster trading out of Sydney, says skull hunting is as rife as ever with many of the tribes. Cannibalism, according to all that can be gleaned, still exists to a terrible extent and the cruelty and barbarism still perpetrated by the natives amongst their own people is reported to be almost incredible at some of the islands in the Solomon group.

THE LOST ONE FOUND.

Henry R. Knapp's Mysterious Disappearance—He Is Found in This City.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—Henry R. Knapp, the art publisher, who so mysteriously disappeared two weeks ago, has returned. Knapp left home on the afternoon of the 8th inst., to visit his physician, Dr. D'Ancona, for treatment of a pain in his head. He failed to find the doctor in, and from the moment he left the office he was completely lost to his friends. At the end of a week his wife had given him up for lost and commenced preparations for returning to her friends in the East. The matter was placed in the hands of Detective John Curtin. That gentleman traced Knapp to the ferry-boat about the hour for the departure of the Oregon express. Notices were sent to his connections along the northern route, and one that landed in Portland, Or., bore fruit. Detective Sullivan, Curtin's Portland agent, telegraphed that Knapp had arrived in Portland on the Tuesday following his disappearance, and had applied for work at Thiel's Detective Agency. His manner at the time was that of a man laboring under mental aberration.

On last Wednesday Dr. D'Ancona received a dispatch from the missing one, reading as follows:

PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 18.

A. D. D'Ancona, 215 Montgomery Street, San Francisco:—How is my wife? Send me $50 to come home on. H. R. KNAPP.

This dispatch was given to Detective Curtin, who wired Sullivan, at Portland, to hunt Knapp up. Sullivan obeyed orders and soon decided that Knapp's mind was affected, and that he was not in a fit condition to travel alone. He accordingly started him in charge of one of his operators and the pair arrived here yesterday.

Knapp says he is totally unable to account for his presence in Portland, or how he got there. He said in a lucid moment on the train that everything was a blank to him from the time he left Dr. D'Ancona's office on Sunday evening until he came to himself in Portland on Tuesday. On leaving Portland he seemed rational, but as the train neared this city he again lost his mental poise and became almost raving. He seems to be suffering from two hallucinations. One of them is, that he had killed Dr. D'Ancona on the occasion of his visit to the doctor's office, and the other, that he was sandbagged and robbed near his office. He persists that he had $820 in his pocket-book, and that it was taken by his assailants.

THE $10,000 BANDIT.

An Anecdote Showing the Coolness of Lone Highwayman Williams in a Tight Place.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—As an instance of the coolness of Williams, the recently captured lone highwayman, Captain Lees recites an incident which occurred the night after Williams succeeded in robbing the Redding and Weaverville stage. Williams was pursued by a constable and posse, consisting of armed bands, and was surrounded by the posse which commenced firing at him with shotguns. He promptly returned the fire, and during a lull in the firing looked about him and shouted to his imaginary confederates, whom the posse believed were concealed in ambush, to defend themselves.

"Kill the fellows off," shouted Williams, as he commenced banging away at his pursuers, who took to their heels and left Williams in possession of the place. Williams left his gun and traps in the road and made tracks for some safer place. Among his traps was some underclothing. Captain Lees and associates argued that it could only have been purchased in a large city, and detective work began at that point, with the result already published.

The rewards for Williams's capture, offered by the Northern districts, are to the amount of over $10,000. Williams was turned over to the United States marshal. He will be tried for robbing the mails on the Weaverville stage. He has nothing to say about his crimes or capture.

A CHINAMAN KILLED.

The Homicide Surrenders and Says the Killing Was Accidental.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 22.—A Chinaman named Ah Jim came to Sacramento to-day and surrendered to the sheriff, saying he had shot and killed another Chinaman at Foster's ranch, on Sutter island, near Courtland. The tragedy took place on Friday afternoon and the victim lived until 8 o'clock that night. Ah Jim explains that the killing was purely accidental.

CALIFORNIA NEWS ITEMS.

Personal.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—Ex-appraiser of the Port Schenck of Portland, Colonel Elliott, a wealthy resident of Astoria, and Captain Gilman, owner of the Gilman house, who is en route to Honolulu, are among the late arrivals from Oregon.

Assistant Superintendent Erickson, of the railway mail service, attached to the office of the second assistant postmaster general, has arrived from Puget sound. Mr. Erickson's business is to inspect the various post routes by stage and steamship, and report to the department the changes that are possible and necessary for improvement of the service. He has traveled by horseback and stage over a great part of Wyoming, Montana and the Puget sound country and is now on his outside home.

Dr. J. W. Robinson, of Jacksonville is here.

Rev. W. M. Gibson, D. D., has returned from Oregon, where he has been delivering lectures during the past two weeks, and occupied his own pulpit this morning and evening.

Captain L. G. Shepard, of the United States steamer Rush, has left for Washington, D. C., to assume the position of chief of the revenue marine service. Before his departure he was presented with a fine gold-handled umbrella by the crew of the Rush.

San Francisco Theaters.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—The Duff Opera Company will give the "Queen's Mate" this week at the Baldwin theater.

"Mankind" is to be the attraction at the Alcazar during the holidays.

The holiday attraction at the Bush Street will be "Spider and Fly."

At the California theater to-morrow night the Boston Howard Athenæum Specialty Company begin an engagement.

"The Great Metropolis" will continue through the holidays at the Grand opera house.

"Aida" will be presented this week at the Tivoli opera house. The opening of the Bijou opera house proved a failure and the company has disbanded.

Escaped From Alcatraz Island.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—August Koster and Frank Bennett, the former serving a four years' term for desertion, and the latter seven years for theft, escaped from the United States prison at Alcatraz island early yesterday morning. The prisoners broke the lock on a small boat used about the rock and by means of boards paddled to the shore after two hours' work.

An Antidote to Matrimony.

Boston Courier.

A gentleman who is a confirmed bachelor was being rallied recently by some lady friends upon his obstinate resistance to all attempts to lead him into matrimony.

"I wonder," one of them said, "that any man could escape who has had all the snares laid for him that have been spread for you."

"I should never have been able to preserve my liberty," he answered, "had it not been for a certain window on Winter street."

"A window on Winter street?" What was there in that to preserve you?"

"It was filled with the materials of which the modern woman was made," he returned, with an affectation of gravity. "Whenever I was in any danger of becoming engaged I have simply walked around and looked in at that window, and I have thereby been saved."

A Clear Case of Blackmail.

Pick-Me-Up.

Mr. Brown—Well; Nellie, aren't you going to kiss me this evening? I'll not forget those caramels next time. You're my sweetheart, you know.

Nellie (aged 6)—No, I'm not your sweetheart. I saw you kissing cousin Maude yesterday. I wish you to know, Mr. Brown, that I'm a regular enfant terrible. I don't want any caramels, but if you don't take me to the theater to-night you may expect some artless remarks from me at dinner."

Hacking, coughing, spitting, stop it! with Kidd's Cough Syrup, 25 cents.

WAVES ENGULF THEM.

"One Woe Doth Tread Upon Another's Heels."

THE ILL-FATED SHIP DURHAM

Her First and Second Mates Drowned in San Francisco Bay—Graphic Description of the Futile Efforts at Rescue.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—Charles Stevens, first mate, and Williamson, second mate, of the ill-fated ship Durham, which was damaged by fire at Port Costa last week, and in the hold of which two men were suffocated by foul gases on last Friday, were drowned in the bay this afternoon. Stevens and Higginson, together with four others, started from the ship, which is anchored in the bay, in a small boat for shore. High wind and a strong tide were prevailing at the time, and in attempting to run near a barge anchored in the stream their boat was washed near the anchor chain of the barge and capsized. All the men were thrown into the water, but all managed to secure a hold on the anchor chain except the two mates, who clung to the boat, which drifted away and sank, both men going down with it. Both men are natives of Liverpool, and Higginson leaves a wife and several children in that city.

Boats were sent out to drag the bay for the bodies of the drowned men; but up to a late hour to-night neither of them had been recovered.

BRAVE ATTEMPTS AT RESCUE.

The disaster was witnessed by a number of people. There were several vessels by, and soon three boats were rowing after the two men. The schooner Mountain View got her boat out first, which was quickly followed by one from the schooner Bobolink and a second from the C. T. Hill. The men in the boats realized the danger of Stevens and Higginson and put every energy into their work, pulling like mad for the fast drifting and overturned boat, to which the men were clinging. Nearer and nearer drew the skiff from the Mountain View, and it looked as if she would overtake the unfortunate men. Captain Wentzell, of the schooner, was in the boat himself and he shouted encouragingly at the men from time to time. The bay was exceedingly rough, and the water was as cold as ice. The poor fellows, hanging to the keel, were chilled through and through, and their limbs were numbed with the cold.

"Hold on, boys," shouted Captain Wentzell. Stevens seemed to hear the joyful shout across the stormy waters, for he partly turned towards the approaching boat. At that moment, however, his grip relaxed, his fingers having become stiffened. He made a vain clutch at the keel, but the waves carried the boat beyond his reach and he sank back into the water. His blanched face appeared above the surface for one brief moment, and the water closed over him. When the boat from the Mountain View reached the spot where Stevens had disappeared there was nothing to be seen of him. It was thought he would surely come up to the surface again, but nearly a minute was consumed in a vain search for him.

A feeble cry from Higginson was heard and the three rescuing boats, which were now closely together, put out to his assistance. Higginson had witnessed his shipmate's death and had lost heart. He saw three boats heading for him, saw succor close at hand, and yet was powerless to aid himself. Unable to hold on any longer he sank back into the water, and with a wild, despairing cry, he disappeared from sight, never to rise alive again.

THE VICTIMS OF THE DURHAM.

Funerals Held Yesterday—No Inquiry Into the Sad Accident.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—[Special Telegram.]—Tuesday next, at a special meeting of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, appropriate action will be taken in respect to the memory of Captain John H. Freeman and Frederick Cotton, both of whom were suffocated Friday in the ship Durham.

The bodies of both Captain Freeman and Mr. Cotton were yesterday visited by many friends. The funeral of Captain Freeman took place this afternoon from Masonic Temple, in this city; that of Mr. Cotton from his residence in Oakland.

There has been some talk of an investigation relative to the sad disaster, but it is not likely any can be held. Coroner Taylor has signed the necessary certificates, and considers there is no need of official inquiry on his part, and there is no one else who has power to investigate the occurrence.

THE NOBLE NATURE.

It is not growing like a tree—
In bulk doth make man better be;
Or standing long an oak three hundred year,
To fall a log at last, dry, bald and sere;
A lily of a day
Is fairer far in May,
Although it fall and die that night—
It was the plant and flower of Light.
In small proportions we just beauty see;
And in short measures life may perfect be.
—*Ben Jonson.*

MAN IS HIS OWN STAR.

Man is his own star; and the soul that can
Render an honest and perfect man
Commands all light, all influence, all fate;
Nothing to him falls early or too late.
Our acts our angels are, or good or ill
Our fatal shadows that walk by us still.
—*Beaumont and Fletcher.*

New Way to Advertise.

Boston Transcript.

Brown—And so you have got a first-rate cook? What paper did you advertise in?

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"Well?"

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

SATURDAY, Dec. 21.

FINANCIAL—The following is a statement of Portland clearing house for the week ending December 21, 1889:

	Clearances	Balances
Monday	$ 328,087 71	$ 45 652 60
Tuesday	312,760 05	67 842 20
Wednesday	287,150 62	67 869 33
Thursday	242,171 45	31 737 75
Friday	420,966 31	105 407 51
Saturday	294,751 65	67 058 22
Total	$1,885,820 79	$385 067 70

WHEAT—The market is getting a little brighter. Quotations: Valley, $1 20@1 22½; Walla Walla, $1 12½. The following are the fluctuations in New York and Chicago markets:

NEW YORK.

	Closed. 20th	Opened. 21st	Noon. 21st	Closed. 21st
December	85	....	....	85⅜
January	86⅝	85⅞	....	86
February	86½	....	....	87⅛
May	87⅞	....	....	88⅜
	88⅞	88⅞	....	89⅜

CHICAGO.

	Closed. 20th	Opened. 21st	Noon. 21st	Closed. 21st
December	77½	77¾	78¼	77⅝
January	78	78	78⅝	77
May	82¾	82¾	83⅝	83¼

OATS—The market remains the same. Quotations ...

POULTRY—The market is good. Quotations: Chickens, young, $3 50@4; old, $4@5; ducks, $6@7; geese, $9@11 00; turkeys, 15@17c per pound.

Produce receipts, past 24 hours: 13,074 ctls wheat, 2078 bbls flour, 464 ctls oats, 200 ctls bran, ... millstuffs, 4,000 lbs hides, 14 pkgs butter, 45 ... 113 pkgs green fruit, 122 pkgs dried fruit, ... cattle, 335 hd sheep.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The general liquidation which has taken place in stocks during the past few days made Saturday's market an extremely dull one, without special feature of any kind. The tone was firm though dull, generally at insignificant changes from the opening. Final changes are small for small fractions, with advances in the majority.

Government bonds, dull and steady.

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Money on call easy; closed ... prime mercantile paper, 5½@7½; sterling exchange quiet and steady; sixty-day bills, $4 80½; demand, $4 84½.

BONDS.

U. S. 4s (reg.)	126	U. S. 4½'s (coupon)	104⅛
U. S. 4s (coupon)	127	Pacific 6's	118
U. S. 4½'s (reg.)	104⅝		

STOCKS.

American Ex.	118	Northwestern	111½
Canada Pacific	72½	Preferred	141
Canada Southern	57	N. Y. Central	108
Central Pacific	34	Oregon Imp	44¼
Burlington	107⅞	Transcontinental	35
Lackawanna	167⅞	Pacific Mail	36¼
D. & R. G.	16	Reading	38⅞
Erie	27¼	Rock Island	95¾
Kansas & Texas	66	St. Paul	70½
Lake Shore	108¼	Texas Pacific	20½
Louisville & Nash.	86½	Union Pac.	69⅝
Michigan Central	98¼	U. S. Ex.	88
Missouri Pacific	98¼	Wells, Fargo	138
Northern Pacific	31⅝	Western Union	85¾
Preferred	75⅝	Am Cotton Seed Oil	30½

MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Consols, 97 5-16. Silver bullion, per fine ounce, 43 15-16. Bank of England rate of discount, 5 per cent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Sterling exchange, long, ...; sterling exchange, short, $4 85½. U. S. 4s, 127; U. S. bonds, 4½s, 104½; silver bullion, per fine ounce, 95¼.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—Sterling exchange, 60 days, $4 80; sterling exchange, documentary, ...; Transfers, par.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCK MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.

...	$ 3 25	Utah	55
...	2 30	Bullion	30
Best & Belcher	1 85	Seg. Belcher	50
Chollar	2 45	Justice	1 20
Con. California	4 50	Union	2 30
...	1 50	Challenge	1 20
...	2 35	N. B. Isle	1 10
...	1 90	Bodie	65
... Norcross	2 45	Peer	10
... Point	1 65	Peerless	25
Yellow Jacket	1 85	Overman	65
...	1 90	Alpha	80
... Nevada	1 95	Imperial	25

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—Produce receipts during the past 24 hours include: Wheat, 104,000 ctls, ... qr sks; oats, 2100 ctls; potatoes, 4000 ...; barley, 8200 ctls.

Freights—Firm. Grain tonnage in good demand. Recent charters include the ships ..., 1663 tons, for U. K., Havre or Antwerp, and Baring Brothers, 2091 tons, for Liverpool direct, at 30s.

Lumber and coal freights rule steady. The ... Hayden Republic sailed yesterday for T... to load coal for this port.

Wheat—The spot market rules steady, with only ... business doing. The export demand is ... Shippers bid $1 30 for No. 1 shipping. ... dull. Buyer year, 400 tons of No. 1 white ...; buyer season, $1 37⅝; buyer 1890 ...

Barley—Business continues dull, with only a ... demand, but prices are not quotably any ... Quotations for feed descriptions range ... 75c for No. 1 to 80c for choice.

Oats—Very light business doing. Holders offer ... but buyers show little inclination to operate. Quotations are nominal at $1 30 for choice ... $1 27½ for No. 1.

... Quiet, but steady. Quotations unchanged.

... Choice grades meet with ready sale, but poorer kinds are rejected. Offerings are fairly liberal. Quote: Burbanks, $1 25@1 40; Peerless and Garnet Chile, $1@1 15.

Wool—Light movement at steady prices.

Hogs—Dull; nominal, 6@6c.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Grain Freights—By steamer to Liverpool 1d per bushel.

Wheat—The market is firmer, tending up. Prices during the day ranged as follows: Opening—85⅞c January, 88⅜c May. Closing—85⅝c December, 86c January, 87⅛c February, 88⅜c March, 89⅜c May.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Hops—Firm, in fair demand.

Coffee—Options opened steady, unchanged to 10 points down, closed barely steady, unchanged to 10 points down; sales, 18,000 bags; December, $15 35@15 80; February, $15 80; March, $15 55; May, $16@16 10. Spot Rio, dull; fair cargoes, 19⅝c; No. 7, 17@18c.

Sugar—Raw, dull and nominal; refined, dull.

Copper—Unchanged.

Lead—Steady; domestic, $3 90.

Tin—Quiet and steady; straits, $21 10.

Petroleum opened steady at $1 03¼, and moved up to $1 04½. A reaction followed and the market closed steady at $1 03⅝. Stock Exchange—Opening, $1 03½; highest, $1 04½; lowest, $1 03⅝; closing, $1 03⅝. Consolidated Exchange—Opening, $1 03½; highest, $1 04½; lowest, $1 03⅝; closing, $1 03⅝. Total sales, 110,000 bbls.

Bar Silver—95¼c.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Wheat receipts at the principal primary points during the past 24 hours were 346,000 bushels; shipments, 106,000 bushels.

Wheat—The market opened slightly higher and advanced steadily during the day, closing strong at from 1c to 1¼c above yesterday's closing quotations. Prices during the day were as follows: Opening 77¾c December, 78c January, 82¾c May. Noon—78¼c December, 78⅝c January, 83⅝c May. Closing—78⅝c December, 79c January, 83¼c May.

Provisions—Pork, lower; $9 17½ January. Lard, easier, $5 87½ January. Ribs, steady at $4 72½ January.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 2500; quiet; choice beeves, $4 75@5 25; medium to good steers, $3 50@4 45; stockers and feeders, $2 25@3; cows, bulls and mixed, $1 25@2 95; bulk, $2@2 40.

Hogs—Receipts, 26,000; dull and 10c lower; mixed, $3 45@3 65; heavy, $3 45@3 70; light, $3 45@3 70.

Sheep—Receipts, 2000; steady; fancy, $4 90@5 75; medium to good, $4@4 50; Western cornfed, $4@5.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

BEERBOHM GRAIN REPORT.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Since last report three wheat cargoes have arrived, two have been sold, and two cargoes remain waiting orders. Floating wheat cargoes are firm. Wheat cargoes on passage are very firm. Wheat deliveries by English farmers during the week amounted to 82,577 qrs., at an average price of 31s. English country markets are quiet.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 21.—Spot wheat, steady. Futures, a shade lower. No. 1 Cala per cental, 7s 3¼d December and January, 7s 2½d February, 7s 1½d March, 7s 1½d April and May.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—Spot wheat and flour, steady.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 21.—Wheat—Steady but quiet; holders offer moderately.

Corn—Quiet; supply is in excess of the demand.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

GENERAL NOTES.

The steamer Columbia sailed last Saturday at 10 P. M. for San Francisco.

The British ship Largo Law cleared for Liverpool last Friday. She carries 91,283 bushels wheat, worth $963,500.—*Astorian*.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—Arrived—Str State of California, Portland; schr Gleudale, Coos bay; str Willamette Valley, Yaquina bay. Sailed—Bol. bk Fundaleor, Departure bay; str Queen of the Pacific, Port Townsend.

PORT TOWNSEND, Dec. 20.—Arrived—Shs Columbia, Glory of the Seas and William A. Campbell, and schr Peerless, all from San Francisco; str City of Topeka, Alaska. Sailed—Shs Ivanhoe and Topgallant, bks R. K. Ham, Rufus E. Wood and Arcturus, bk n J. M. Griffith, schr Martha W. Tuft, and str Walla Walla, all for San Francisco.

ASTORIA, Dec. 21.—Str Lakme left up 5 A. M.; Chief left up with sh Challenger at 8 A. M.

FORT CANBY, Dec. 21.—5 P. M.—Cloudy; wind southeast; bar rough.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—Arrived—Ship J. B. Walker, Tacoma; schr Lizzie Preen, Coos bay. Sailed—Bk Northwest, Port Madison; str South Coast, ——; ship Spartan, Seattle ship Blue Jacket, Seattle.

ASTORIA, Dec. 22.—Oklahoma left up with ship Alameda at 7 A. M.; str Columbia arrived down at 9 A. M., passed out at 10 A. M.; str Oregon arrived in at 5 P. M. and will leave up at 11 A. M. tomorrow. 5 P. M.—Br ship Clan McKenzie outside with pilot aboard.

FORT CANBY, Dec. 22.—5 P. M.—Cloudy; wind southeast; bar rough.

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A TEN pound Sirloin, medium or well-done, will be REDUCED to SIX pounds and four ounces of Roasted Meat, showing a loss of three pounds and twelve ounces of juice. While the loss is 37½ per cent of the total weight, it shows the enormous LOSS OF FIFTY PER CENT OF THE JUICE.

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PROPOSALS FOR WATER BONDS.

OFFICE OF THE WATER COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF PORTLAND.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at this office until 3 P. M., Tuesday, December 31, 1889, for the purchase of Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000) of the bonds of said city, in denominations of One Thousand Dollars ($1000) each, dated January 1, 1887, payable Thirty (30) years from date, and bearing interest at the rate of Five (5) per cent per annum, payable on the first days of January and July of each year. PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN U. S. GOLD COIN at the office of the Treasurer of said City.

These bonds are issued under authority of an act of the Legislature of Oregon, approved November 25, 1885, for the construction of Water Works. Said act authorized the issue of $700,000 for that purpose, of which amount $600,000 have been issued. The legality of the act has been affirmed by the Court of Last Resort in the State.

The bonds will be delivered with coupons attached for interest from January 1, 1890.

The proposals will be endorsed on the outside of the sealed envelope "Proposal for Purchase of Water Bonds," and addressed to "Frank T. Dodge, Clerk of the Water Committee, Portland, Oregon."

The right to reject bids is reserved.

By order of the Water Committee,

FRANK T. DODGE, Clerk.

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The Oregonian.

PORTLAND MONDAY, DEC. 23

OREGONIANA

John B Davis aged 60 years a practitioner of medicine formerly of Battlecreek, Mich but considered insane from the excessive use of morphine, a total stranger in the state was taken to the asylum Saturday from Wasco county

Pomona grange, of Salem, has passed resolutions asking the state board of agriculture to increase the premiums on cereals and vegetables, opposing a county appropriation for the armory and opposing an appropriation for opening highways.

The Walla Walla Board of Trade has memorialized congress for an appropriation of $10 000 to beautify and improve the military reservation here and to make Fort Walla Walla a permanent full regiment cavalry post The movement is heartily approved by the people thereabouts

Articles of incorporation have been filed in the secretary of state s office by the Baker City Building and Loan Association with J H Parker, G W Jett Charles F Hyde J P Faull C Adler J F Murphy and J W Windom incorporators capital stock $1 000,000 in shares of $100 each, principal office, Baker City

The Salem *Statesman* is responsible for the following cabbage story In June 1888 D L Matheny, who lives just across the big bridge in Polk county set out a cabbage plant. In September he cut from the stock a six pound cabbage In July last he cut from the same stock a six and one half pound head, and yesterday he brought the stock with another head of cabbage on it that will weigh at least six pounds This specimen is now exhibited at the office of the State Land and Trust Co, for the especial benefit of all German immigrants

WASHINGTONIANA

The second annual meeting of the State Teachers' Association of Washington will be held at Ellensburg January 1 2 and 3 1890 An interesting programme has been prepared

The Walla Walla *Union* has taken Smith S Johnson son of the proprietor, into partnership. Smith is a spirited young man with many admirable qualities and an aptitude for whistling select strains from the operetta

A Seattle police judge has fixed the price of jaw teeth at $7 50 each He put the quotation on when he fined a man $15 for knocking out two of another fellows molars The judge also declared that there would be no reduction on large jobs

The Western town is sure to be enterprising and original, and will not be satisfied unless here is a great deal going on For instance a town lot in Allyn is offered to the first child born in the place provided the parent have lived in the town for nine month preceding the birth

The burning of the first kiln of pressed brick on Puget sound will be begun on Vashon island by the New York and Tacoma Pressed Brick Works to day The kiln contains over 100 000 brick and will be a test kiln The indications are that there will be plenty of pressed brick on the local market next year.

The Washington *Independent* says Sergeant at arms Leiter tried to make a little cash by asking 10 per cent of the carpenter he employed to do some work for our legislature He does not deny the charge but says he was joking Joke him out of employment and he may learn better We have known men to take horses in a joke

The G A R post at Asotin opposes the bill to create a soldiers' home which is now pending in the legislature and gives the following reasons Firstly, that we regard that duty as belonging exclusively to the general government of the United States secondly, that the financial condition of the state does not at present justify the expense thirdly that the classes to derive a benefit are either at present provided with pensions, or are not in sufficient numbers to warrant the expenditure of the sum named in said bill fourthly, that to provide a home where all family ties are to be severed by the inmates robs it of the sacred name that should ever surround and make pleasant the declining days of the veteran who has undergone so much that his country might live, For the reasons given the member from Asotin county is requested to vote against the bill

Evarts's Little Joke.

Washington Post

Mr Blaine sat in his private office one day discussing affairs of state with his predecessor, ex Secretary William Maximum Evarts

Now here? said he 'is a case in point This man has been consul at On Hung for twenty years. He went there during the war and has remained there ever since It is time he returned home to be acquainted with his country before he grows a cue If he stays much longer he will have a Chinese bias in his sight I shall remove him at once

"I wouldn't remove him Mr Secretary " replied Mr Evarts

'Why not?'

'I am afraid it will be an unpleasant thing to do '

My mind is made up ' replied Mr Blaine As soon as I can find a good live man to take his place I shall remove him "

But I think you will have grave difficulty in finding a good live man who would be willing to take his place

"I anticipate no such difficulty But will you explain to me Mr Evarts why you think there will be any difficulty ?

' Because his man has been dead and buried these six months, Mr Secretary '

The Burglars Might Doubt Him

Detroit Free Press

A colored man who was evidently in good circumstances called at a Gratiot avenue hardware store the other day and asked for a doorlock, and while he was looking at a line of them the merchant said

"You can't be afraid of burglars?"

"But I am was the reply

"Have you got anything to be stolen ?

"No, sah Hain t got $20 worth of stuff in de house "

"Then why do you fear burglars ? '

' It hain't 'cause I 'spect dey would steal anything but because I doan want to be woke up in the night and see a burglar at de foot of de bed an' hear him say Now Reuben you hand over dat bag of gold or I ll put six bullets into ye '

' But you have no gold "

' Dat's just it He d think I was lyin and shute me '

The Kaiser's Modesty

Paris Letter in St Louis Post Dispatch

Here is an anecdote of the emperor of Germany which is certainly sufficiently characteristic of that pompous personage to be true During one of his forest excursions on the occasion of the late visit of the czar of Russia William II was about to light his cigar but found that he had forgotten the knife that he used to cut off the ends The czar was no better provided, so one of the forest keepers stepped forward and proffered his own The emperor used it and then returned it, saying impressively "Take back your knife It is now a historic relic '

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MEETING NOTICES

Harmony Lodge No 12, A F & A M — Annual communication of this lodge will be held in Masonic Temple this (Monday) evening at 7 30 for election of officers and collection of dues. A full attendance requested By order of the W M
A S GIBBS Sec

Willamette Division No 2, K of P — Attention Sir Knights The members of Willamette Division No 2 are hereby ordered to attend the meeting this evening at 8 o clock sharp in full uniform to assist in instituting Germania Division U R K of P J SPEED, Second Lieutenant and Acting Commander

Exempt Firemen's Association — Stated meeting of the Exempt Firemen s Association Monday evening Dec. 23 at 7 30 o clock at rooms 7 8 and 9 first floor Abington Building
JOHN O CONNOR Secretary

Industry Lodge No 8, A O U W meets every Monday at 7 30 P M N W corner first and Taylor sts Members as well as all visiting brothers are requested to be present this (Monday) evening without fail L H TRLEMAN Recorder

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BOLLES ADDITION TO GLENHAVEN PARK Lots 50x100 easy payment ¾ of a mile from Mt Tabor no taxes no interest lot $126 $10 down $10 a month The e lots will go to $1000 within a year A motor line will be built through this land before summer THOMPSON & GETZ
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Acreage lots or blocks well located and sold on reasonable terms. Call on LONG & ELKINS 24 Washington st 19 dtf*

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The East Portland city tax roll is now in my hands for collection where it will remain for thirty days at the expiration of which time it will be returned delinquent unless otherwise ordered by the common council W D PAPE City Treasurer 1117 Fourth st
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I will sell for 30 days at bed rock prices first class Piano Organs Violins Accordeons Bowman s Mandolins Autoharps Zithers Guitars Banjos also some very fine Music Boxes from $1 up to $100 Melodias Carl Eshaud s Fire Harps very fine. It is to your interest to call before purchasing elsewhere. Parties by arrangement can ... those who do not know me I will give a written guarantee to those who desire ... TOM PARROTT East Portland Music Store *

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ASTORIA CHOICE LOTS IN HUSTLER'S addition OREGON AND WASHINGTON LAND CO First st. 18d7*

DON'T GET EXCITED ... on the fat of the land at the New York you can not be nervous 1*

GOOD MORNING MRS O TOOLE I was just on my way to 50 Morrison for a new pair of shoes 1*

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LOTS ON WASHINGTON ST for sale at a bargain JOHN ANGEL, Agent 20dtf* Esmond Block

COAL—KEEP YOUR HEADLIGHT on O P Tompkins Coal ... ... Morrison sts Prompt delivery every time Telephone 578. 11ntf*

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Fare 5 Cents TO THE PENINSULAR Addition where lots are selling for $100 on the installment plan

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WAVERLY $3500—A VERY choice block electric motor ground line is already ... ed past this block $1000 cash balance 2 years 6 per cent interest as good a buy as can be found in the Northwest THE HART ROYAL CO Morrison st 1*

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$1650—¼ BLOCK EIGHTH ST HOLLADAY Addition facing south and east

These lots are undoubtedly bargains, and will well repay your immediate attention

C E. MOONEY & CO
21 tr 183 First street

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GRAND TURKEY RAFFLE

At Cosmopolitan Saloon cor Third and D sts. ev ... ings of Dec. 3d and 24th 20d4*

The Oregon and Washington Land Co.

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15 lots in East ... bargain ... terms
... bargains
Quarter block in Holladay s cheap
... blocks ... East Portland nicely located
2 Lots ... on Mill street bet Twelfth and Thirteenth A good buy
1 Lot in North Portland
¼ Block in North Portland
½ Block in Sullivan s addition to East Portland.
½ Block in Stephens addition
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24d5* WATSON, SMITH & CO., No 4 Stark st.

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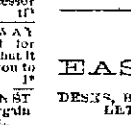

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$1500—50 x 100 WITH A GOOD PLATO house Immediately East P 9 Yamhill

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GROCERY STORE FOR SALE CHEAP ... low stock new Address B H box ... Portland 2 13

FURNITURE OF NINE ROOM HOUSE FOR sale everything new and first class ... Fourth street. 30 14

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FOR SALE—TWO 40 INCH BELLOWS ONE ... blower Call at VINCENT S ... and hammer 1 17

$500 FURNITURE FOR SALE HOUSE FOR rent 7 large rooms closets and bath ... box 3 ... East Portland 2 3d3

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FOR SALE CHEAP THE FURNITURE OF A 10 room house nearly new and in first class condition this house for rent now ... first class boarders Address M R S care Oregonian 213

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WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork good wages at 75 Twentieth st cor I

FIRST CLASS COOK (FEMALE) WANTED at $40 ... none other need apply 2 1

WANTED—A GIRL TO ASSIST IN GENERAL household in a small family Inquire 129 Twelfth st bet Washington and Alder 1

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WANTED—A GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK AT 454 G between Nineteenth and Twentieth One that will go home ... is preferred 21

WANTED—A GIRL TO TAKE CARE OF children and to assist in work at 211 Alder st

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework Call at 61 N Sixth st corner of Sherman 1 dtf

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS HAIR DRESSER and hair worker at 113 Third near Taco ... 1d4 Wash

20 PLACES FOR GOOD WILLING GIRLS MRS PLATO 9 Yamhill

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BOOKKEEPER HAVING EXPERIENCE IN wholesale house and railroad office wishes position city ... Address W W A Oregonian

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WANTED—STRONG BOY OF 18 WISHES situation good per man best of references Address M S care Oregonian d3

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRST class bookkeeper who is a rapid stenographer and typewriter with good business ability ... himself valuable to his employer Address ... box 897 1 1

WANTED—POSITION IN REAL ESTATE OFfice ... negotiate sales Has ... Washington Not particular ... Address ... care Oregonian

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A DRESSMAKER WISHES SEWING BY THE day or piece ... 174 Yamhill st 2 d3

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WANTED—LADY AGENTS FOR THE NEW ... Corset the best on earth Write for terms and territory ... Chicago

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WANTED—TO TRADE GOOD LOTS IN NEW town on new road for Portland suburban lots. Address Business, care Oregonian 2 1

WANTED—BY GENTLEMAN AND WIFE partially furnished rooms with board by Jan 1st references Address K L box 267 23d3

WELL KNOWN BUSINESS MAN AND WIFE want use of parlor ... Will pay a new folding bed No housekeeping No children Address ... box 88

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These having Sound Properties for sale or develop ment contiguous to Towns or Cities ... that is ... proposed railroad ... stru ... find a purchaser by addressing ... 6th mo R M STIVLY Kansas City M

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LOST—FRIDAY NIGHT A BLACK FOX TERrier dog, answers to name of Mose ... reward by returning to Stark st ferry 1 13

LOST — DOUBLE NOSED LIVER COLORED setter will white breast Return to 65 Front street and receive $5 reward 2017

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MONEY TO LOAN ON HOUSEHOLD FURNIture ... all kinds of personal property Thompson & Hathaway room 4 Labbe s Building 1otf

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL OR CHATTEL security by Ross ... E Morrill room 6 Mulkey block Second and Morrison sts 1otf

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BARBER SHOP FOR SALE AT 80, NORTH Third Price $50 ... d3

PAYING BUSINESS FOR SALE—CENTER ... selling out on account of sickness Address M N care Oregonian

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WANTED—ONE OR TWO LIVE MEN TO join me in a light manufacturing business, where there is big money Here is a chance not offered every day Investigate it at once Address J P Oregonian office

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$1500 LODGING HOUSE ... ROOMS ... ... Will give ... ... investment ... PLATO

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FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED FRONT rooms for gentlemen with fire also furnished rooms for housekeeping Inquire 308 Fourth st.

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FOR RENT—FURNISHED FRONT ROOM FOR gentleman Apply 29 Ninth st 11dtf

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NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT en suite or single Inquire at 253 Seventh st bet Main and Madison 20dtf

FOR RENT — ROOMS FOR LIGHT HOUSEkeeping at Gilly block Fourth and J sts East Portland No children. 13314

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FOR RENT—A NICELY FURNISHED FRONT room with use of bath suitable for one or two gentlemen references exchanged. Inquire 10 Grant street 18d7

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100 PRIVATE FAMILIES HAVE LISTED rooms with us from $5 a month up, full information given no charge to or for tenants Parties having spare rooms will find our room department of value. 9 Yamhill PLATO

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FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT AND BOARD if desired, at 250 Yamhill 1967

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FOR RENT—A FIVE ROOM COTTAGE, GOOD locality Apply at 84 Second st. 20dtf

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FOR RENT—A GOOD BUSINESS CORNER on Fourth and Taylor Inquire 163 Eighth cor Morrison 1dtf

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GARRISON S 167 THIRD ST AGENT FOR the Domestic the Household and other leading machines sperm oil needles attachments and repair parts

FISH, OYSTERS, GAME, & POULTRY

MALARKEY & CO (SUCCESSORS TO C. A. MALarkey) leading house, N. W cor Fourth and Morrison sts Consignments and orders solicited.

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DIXON BORGESON & CO, 108 AND 110 FRONT street Portland Or

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOR RENT—CALIGRAPH TYPEWRITER nearly new Apply 146 Front st.

SWAYNE'S OINTMENT—A NEVER FAILING cure for piles blind, bleeding or itching 10dtf

WOVEN WIRE SPRING BEDS. GEORGE M. PARKER 131 First st Trade supplied. 1dtf

THE ST CHARLES RESTAURANT, UNDER the new management, gives meals for 15c

CLAIRVOYANT—MRS J W MIMER BUSIness sittings a specialty 222½ First st.

MRS. S. S. IP, CLAIRVOYANT DELINEAtions written or verbal. 113 First st.

STORAGE OF ANY DESCRIPTION CAN BE had reasonable at Pacific dock, No. 23 ... Front st.

MADAME CALDWELL, CLAIRVOYANT AND magnetic healer, reads past and future. ... First st ...

PRIVATE HOME FOR LADIES DURING CONfinement Mrs. H. Muller, ... Stark and ...

FRANK V DRAKE HAS REMOVED HIS law office to the new Washington block, at the corner of Washington and Fourth sts.

HENRY WEINHARD IMPORTER OF WATCH MAterial ... optical goods and musical ... Rooms 5 and 6, 120 Sutter st., San Francisco.

SCHOOL of Civil, Mechanical, Mining Engineering, Surveying, Archit. Assay, 723 Market, San Francisco Cal. A VAN DER NAILLEN, Director.

NOTICE—OREGON MEN AND SHEPHERDS ... in Portland and vicinity are invited to attend a meeting at the corner of 24th and ... at 8 P M ... December 27, 1889.

REWARD—I WILL GIVE A REWARD OF TEN dollars ... the arrest and conviction of any person caught stealing the Daily or Sunday Oregonian from ... of Alder st. ... D. J. MOORE, Business Agent.

CLAIRVOYANT—MME. TEITSWORTH NATural Seer and Clairvoyant ... years experience 230½ First st Room 1 ...

MRS. E. ... EVANS, METAPHYSICIAN, AND Teacher of Christian Science, ... Hours, 10 A. M. to 1 P. M. ... hours by appointment. Consultation free.

JOHN THOMPSON & CO. HAVE BEEN APpointed agents for the purchase of rag stock for the Columbia River Paper Co., and are prepared to purchase, for cash, Rags Burlaps, Manila rope and all other kinds of Paper stock. Old Iron and Metal of all kinds, 65 and ... Front st., Portland, Oregon.

THE BRIDAL VEIL PAPER MILL COMPANY (of the ... of the O. R. & N. Ry. at Bridal Veil Falls) manufactures all kinds of straw wrapping, manilla papers, a specialty made of hardware ... grocers papers ... butchers ... Union Block, Portland, Or., or Bridal Veil, ...

MADAME FLORA A. BROWN NATural medium, has returned ... business and ... matters ... of your life ... ted or no charge made. Parlors ... First st.

READ THIS 13 LBS GRANULATED SUGAR for $1. 15 lbs ex C sugar for $1; best ... per lb; best ... maple syrup ... per gall, everything ... at corresponding low prices; goods delivered to all parts of the city. East Portland and Albina. CASH GROCERY ... 84 Washington st.

SHIP CHALLENGER—THOMPSON, MASTER —from New York will commence discharging at Flanders's wharf on Saturday, December ... Consignees of freight will please call at the office, present bills of lading, pay freight and receive orders for their goods. All freight ... at owners' risk when landed and if not removed from wharf by 5 o'clock P M of each day's discharge, will be stored on wharf at their risk, and expense. Sutton & Beebe, agents 16 N Front st corner B.

BRITISH SHIP GEPHEUS, CAPTAIN YOUNG, from Montevideo. Neither the master nor the undersigned consignees of the above-named vessel will be responsible for any debts that may be contracted by the crew
2d3 TAYLOR, YOUNG & CO. Consignees

YAQUINA BAY—PARTIES DESIRING INformation in regard to Yaquina Bay can obtain it by calling upon the undersigned until Dec. 27th, at the office of H Greene, cor First and Ash sts, or after that date by addressing
W C SHEPARD,
Sec'y of Yaquina Bay Board of Trade, Newport, Or.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE—I HEREBY give notice that the ... County Court of Multnomah County, Or., has appointed me as administrator of the estate of Bernard P ... deceased late of said county. All persons having claims against said estate will present them to me within six months from this date at my place of business N North Third ... cor of ... Portland, Or. duly verified and accompanied by proper vouchers
CHAS. DILLON, Administrator.
Dated Nov ... 1889

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, WASHington, D C. Dec. 5, 1889 Sealed proposals for furnishing the material and labor required in the completion of the United States Penitentiary at Boise City Idaho territory, will be received at this Department until 12 o'clock M, Wednesday Jan ..., 1890 when they will be opened Plans and specifications, instructions to bidders, etc. may be seen at this Department and at the office of the governor of the territory at Boise City GEO CHANDLER, Acting Secretary

UNITED STATES MARSHALS SALE—IN Admiralty ... the steamboat City of Salem, ... of Oregon, ss

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, tested the 16th day of December, A D 1889 in the suit of ... Reno & Co. vs. the steamboat ... I will expose for sale at public auction, and will sell to the best bidder for cash, on Monday the 30th day of December, A D 1889, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, the steamboat City of Salem, her tackle, apparel, furniture boats and appurtenances, where she now lies at Portland, in said District.
Dated at Portland ... said District this 16th day of December, A. D 1889 JOHN MYERS,
United States Marshal for the District of Oregon.

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MACHINISTS.

CITY FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP Honeyman & Co. First and Columbia streets.

WOLFF & WICKER, MACHINISTS, CORner ... streets—Housework doors, railings ... iron shutters and machinery of all descriptions. ... ing and moulding tools to order

LEATHER AND FINDINGS.

R. SHERLOCK, SADDLERY, HARNESS, HARDware, ... Front street, Portland, Oregon.

HERBERT BRADLEY & CO. 73 FRONT ST., importers of Shoe Manufacturers' Goods, Shoe Store Supplies Blackings Dressings, Etc.

WHOLESALE GROCERS

ALLEN & LEWIS, WHOLESALE GROCERS corner North Front and D sts., Portland, Oregon.

CORBITT & MACLEAY, WHOLESALE GROcers and Commission Merchants, 54 and 56 Front street. Portland.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

—$40,000 WORTH OF—

Guns, Pistols, Toys and Fancy Goods.

The entire stock of goods of Wm Beck & Son, at 165, 167 and 169 Second st., and 69 First , must be sold to close out the business. The public are especially invited to come and see and examine this immense stock of goods and buy their Christmas goods for the Holidays To jobbers and dealers especial inducements will be offered them Offers from parties wishing to buy the business at 165, 167 and 169 Second st, or at 69 First st , or at Spokane Falls, Wash , will be received.
J. A. STROWBRIDGE, Administrator

TO-DAY and TO-MORROW:

Parcel Delivery!

To accommodate the volume of trade and to insure prompt service, we will have additional Parcel Delivery for

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L Lehman & Co.

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Christmas Offerings for the Sick—Early Smelt in the Market—D. P. Thompson as a Mule Shoer—Races Next September.

IT IS ROUGH ON THE MAN.—There is a man in the city under medical treatment for a bad case of contraction or stricture of the esophagus, brought on by drinking some kind of obnoxious stuff to kill microbes. The stuff is some kind of an acid which burns and thickens the inner lining of the gullet, and is much more likely to kill a man than a microbe. It might be good for microbes, but it is bad for men. Just why one should drink such stuff to kill microbes which are in the air is difficult to imagine. It would be just as sensible to drink it to kill mosquitoes. Probably the confounded stuff has more microbes in a gallon of it than a man is ever likely to get into his system. This is no laughing matter, but it may be stated that good old rye whisky is the best microbe killer yet discovered. If it don't kill the microbes it won't kill the man, unless he drinks too much of it.

THE SHORTEST IN THE YEAR.—Yesterday was the winter solstice, the shortest day in the year, when the sun reached his greatest southern declination, and appears to traverse the tropic of Capricorn. We know so little about winter here that the difference in the length of the days is about all the effect we see from the declination of the sun. The days will now begin to grow longer, but there is not much fear of the cold growing stronger, as it does in less favored sections, where the ancient chroniclers resided who wrote the following: Now cometh December, full of cold with frost and snow, with great winds and stormy weather, that a man may not labor nor nothing do. The sun is then at the lowest it may descend. Then the breast of the earth is hid in snow; then it is good to hold nigh to the fire, and spend the goods gathered in summer.

SOMETHING ABOUT EARLY SMELT.—Mr. James Quinn, formerly a well-known resident of this city, but for years a resident at Quinn's Landing on the lower Columbia, demurs to the statement published in these columns a few days since, to the effect that some Columbia river smelt received here on that day were as the man who brought them claimed the earliest smelt ever seen in the Portland market. Mr. Quinn says he had fresh Columbia river smelt in his market on Washington street, on the 8th of December, 1869. From this it appears that Mr. Johnson in 1889, was ten days behind Mr. Quinn in 1869, in getting smelt into this market. It is the belief of many fishermen that smelt and chinook salmon both are in the river all winter, and could be taken if fished for, but the game would hardly be worth the candle.

THAT CITY HALL!—The council meets to-night to vote on the selection of a site for the city hall. The general opinion is that they will choose the St. Helen's hall block. Mr. Gerdes, and possibly the whole delegation from Couch precinct, favor the Dierdorff block, in that precinct. The St. Helen's hall block is just across Main street in the Third ward, and Mr. Gerdes thinks it would not be right to locate the hall in the Third ward, but it would be all right to put it in the First. Some favor the block between West Park and Eighth and Yamhill and Taylor streets, which is a very sightly block. As the council meets this evening specially for this purpose they will doubtless settle the matter. It is hardly probable that any of the members expect to please everybody in the selection made.

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UNWANTED INCANDESCENT LIGHTS.—It is a common thing for servant girls to refuse a situation because there are too many children in the family, or because there are not stationary wash tubs or a hot water boiler, or because the washing is not sent out, or for many other reasons; but the latest trouble is the light question. A young woman who wanted a situation refused one because coal oil lamps were used, saying she was not used to them and would not live anywhere where they did not have incandescent lights. This is an age of progress.

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DON'T FAIL to see A. B. Steinbach & Co. if you want good value in hats and furnishing goods.

HANDSOME BASKETS and novel designs at Burkhardt Bros., Twenty-second and G.

IMMENSE BARGAINS in men's overcoats at A. B. Steinbach & Co.'s.

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The new jewelry store at 151 Third street, is the place to get nice attractive goods at low prices. G. Heitkemper, Proprietor.

WHAT IS OFFERED IN ASTORIA

The Oregon Land Company, With Offices in Salem, Astoria and Albany, Comes to the Front.

The Oregon Land Company is just at the present time offering one, two, three and five-acre tracts adjoining platted additions to Astoria for sale at $150 per acre. These tracts are being offered for sale by the company at their Salem and Astoria offices. The company within the past ten days done have sold upwards of fifty of these tracts to business men and bankers, and at the present writing they have but thirty-seven left, which they confidently expect will all be sold within the next ten days. The company is in daily receipt of telegraphic orders for these tracts, and they state that it will be necessary for intending purchasers to order at once to get the advantage of these undoubted bargains. They say that there is no better chance for investment on the coast than that afforded by these tracts.

FOR THE THIRTY-SEVENTH TIME.

Mr. A. H. Johnson Will Make a Display of Meats, Outdoing all His Former Displays.

Mr. A. H. Johnson, who for thirty-seven years has made the finest display of meats in the market at Christmas, has determined to beat his record this season. He has three fine prize animals to kill. The prize grade steer, "General Harney," raised by J. Q. Shirley, of La Grande, weighs 2200 and is the finest ever seen here. The others are the registered 4-year-old Hereford heifer, "Cherry Defender," raised by W. W. West, of Scappoose, and the prize Short Horn cow, "Beauty," raised by A. Hartan, of Salem. He will have a sheep weighing 200 pounds and a hundred others weighing from 100 to 150 pounds each. There will be a whole drove of plump sucking pigs, and, in short, everything in the line of meats to make up such a display as only Johnson makes, and the equal of which it would be hard to find out of Oregon.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The Union Pacific arrived at 10 o'clock last night, three hours late.

Snow is falling heavily in the Siskiyou mountains and snow plows are working ahead of the trains.

The Southern Pacific's overland came in at 3:50 yesterday afternoon with a heavy train load of passengers.

Mr. L. Rogers, Charlotte Thompson's advance man, was at the Quimby yesterday. Mr. Rogers reports splendid business on the Sound.

The Northern's through train from the East was eight hours late yesterday, arriving about 11:15. A local came down from Tacoma and Seattle on the through trains time.

A hotel bus collided with a heavy truck at the Couch passenger depot a night or two since, and narrowly escaped capsizing. The bus drivers complain that the heavy trucks of the transfer people are left standing with their hind ends out in the street, instead of being drawn up alongside the curb. Serious accidents are feared these dark nights in consequence.

The "We Three & Co." dramatic combination recently formed here was at the Quimby yesterday, en route from the Sound to Eastern Oregon points. The company includes Leon, the donkey man, Tony Adams, McMahon's old clown, and the four members of the musical Carle family. They report good business above. They left on the Union Pacific last night for The Dalles.

HE WOULD BE A GOOD REFEREE.

It is very likely that John Perry, a director of the Southern Athletic Club, of Los Angeles, will be referee in the Corbett-Campbell boxing match next Saturday, as he takes quite an interest in boxing and refereed all the important matches in the Southern Athletic Club rooms recently. Mr. Perry arrived in Portland on Saturday and is just here for the holidays, and will be a spectator at the contest next Saturday. For an independent referee the choice would be a good one, and the reply given a supporter of Campbell to the question if Mr. Perry would act leads us to the belief that the choice will fall on the man from Los Angeles. A limited number of reserved seats will be placed on sale at Gunst's cigar store and other places to-day. A large delegation of sports is coming from Seattle, Tacoma and other places to see the contest.

BRIEF MENTION.

To enjoy a good Christmas dinner, order yourself one dozen bottles of Simon's best Oregon wine, at $4 50 a dozen; 255 Morrison street, corner Eleventh.

F. J. Goodenough, of the firm of Leinenweber & Goodenough, real estate agents, Astoria, Or., arrived in the city this morning. Mr. G. says they have several good buys on inside and outside property; will also place Power's addition to Astoria on the market about January 1.

Do not buy a cheap piano when you can get the very best for the same money. H. Sinsheimer, the well-known music dealer at 214 First street, has just received an immense shipment of the famous Steinway & Son's and Chickering & Son's pianos—the best instruments in the world. He also carries the only high-grade organ—the Burdett. He is the only Portland music dealer who buys direct from the factories for cash only.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S EXCURSION RATE.

The Northern Pacific Railroad Company place in effect to be used only on December 24, December 25, December 31 and January 1 an excursion rate of one and one-fifth fare for the round trip between all local points west of Spokane Falls, inclusive, restricting destination of ticket to a distance of 200 miles or less from point at which ticket is sold.

The object of this rate is to accommodate the many people who would perhaps like to take a short trip during the holidays, but see no special season for so doing unless some inducement is offered in the way of railroad fare.

Tickets will be sold only on dates above stated, and will be limited to January 3 for the return trip.

SONG ABOUT THE PLUMBERS.

From the appearance of things Saturday it looked as if the cry would soon be:

"Ice again, frost again, all the pipes are burst again,
I wish Christmas came in the summer.
You can't get the plumbers to work at no price.
At Christmas you can't get a plumber."

THE THEATERS THIS WEEK.

CORDRAY'S MUSEE-THEATER.—"Through the Lines," a fine military drama, will receive its first representation to-night with the full strength of the company.

NEW PARK THEATER.—Frank Mayo, in his beautiful play "Nordeck," will make his first appearance at this house at the matinee on Christmas day.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. S. Schenk, of The Dalles First National bank, was registered at the St. Charles yesterday.

Surveyor-General Cavanaugh, of Washington, is at the Esmond. Tom has evidently not got out of the territorial rut. He still writes his address on the register "T. H. Cavanaugh, Olympia W. T."

AWARDING IN HENRICHSEN'S WATCH CLUB

Saturday evening, December 21, 1889: Club 1, No. 57, club 2 No. 20, club 3 No. 12, club 4 No. 22, club 5 No 5, club 6 No 6, club 7 No. 14, club 8 No. 33, club 9 No. 38, club 10 No. 12.

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Tickets will be sold December 24, 25, 31, 1889, and January 1, 1890; good going on date of sale, and good returning until January 3, 1890, inclusive. This will afford every one an opportunity to visit their friends and enjoy the occasion.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Price 25 cts. a bottle.

"James, I will meet you at Gordan Bros.' store, 167 First street, and buy you a suit of clothes for the holidays, from their uncalled-for suits, as they are selling $60 for $35."

Xmas *London Graphic, Holly Leaves, Figaro* and *Paris Illustre*, at Dexum's, 49 Washington street.

U. S. SIGNAL SERVICE WEATHER REPORT.

PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 22, 1889.

Place of Observation.	Hight of Bar.	Ch'ge last 12 hours	Ther.	Wind direction.	Rain fall inch	State of Weather.
Portland	29.62	00	38	S	.22	Cloudy
Olympia	29.51	06	36	S	.00	Cloudy
Red Bluff	29.80	00	42	SE	.02	Cloudy
Sacramento	29.75	.....	44	S	.32	Pty Cld
Spokane	29.76	.....	30	Calm	.00	Cloudy
Walla Walla	29.66	.....	40	SW	.00	Cloudy
Fort Canby	29.64	.....	38	SE	.04	Cloudy

Local Report.

Pacific Coast Time	Bar.	Tem.	Relt. Hum.	Direction of Wind	Velocity of Wind	Rain.	W'th'r
5 A. M.	29.62	36	96	S	10	36	Snow
5 P. M.	29.62	38	86	S	9	02	Cloudy

Maximum temperature, 39, minimum temperature, 33; hight of river, 8.5; change, 8.

	Normal.	Mean.	Departure from Normal.	Excess of deficiency since 1st.	Excess of deficiency since Jan. 1
Temperature	40	36	—4	—48	84
Precipitation	27	58	31	—1 91	—18.60

Total precipitation from July 1, 1889 to date, 15.01; average precipitation from July 1, 1889, to date, 19.96; deficiency in precipitation from July 1, 1889, 4.95 inches.

TO-DAY'S WEATHER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—Forecast till 8 P. M. Monday: For Oregon and Washington: Rain and snow.

PASSENGER LISTS.

OVERLAND.

Union Pacific—Passed Shoshone December 22. A. H. Cunnington and wife, James O. Roberts and wife, A. H. Canardin and family, James E. Smith, A. H. Edwards and fifty-five second-class passengers.

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THE LONG AND SHORT HAUL

The positive declaration of the California board of railroad commissioners against the long and short haul clause of the interstate commerce law is extremely significant So far as we know this is the first official condemnation by any state railroad commission of the leading feature of the Federal law State railroad commissions are apt to bear the stamp of the widespread impulse of popular feeling, always more or less uninformed and often prejudiced, which gave birth to the new body of legislation under which they came into being. They are apt to reflect with more or less qualification, the very sentiments which inspired the interstate commerce law itself and to accept its conclusions as ultimate truth in matters affecting the relations of the state to railroads The considerations and influences must have been rather powerful which led the California commissioners to conclusions different from those of their brethren in all the other states of the Union

These considerations are found in the peculiar situation and conditions of the Pacific coast states, which make the universal hardship and injustice of the long and short haul clause bear with especial severity upon them The provision of the Federal law is a deliberate attempt to paralyze the operation of the natural laws of trade, to deprive certain localities of the advantage of physical position and geographical location, and to secure for others artificial and natural benefits by legislative fiat. Cities are not built up by legislation nor can legislation destroy them but it can retard their progress and dwarf their growth This is what the long and short haul clause seeks to do for such cities as Chicago St Paul, San Francisco and Portland which the happy accident of their geographical position designates as natural terminals and distributing points of traffic This not only makes railroad business to these points conspicuously heavy, but makes it the basis of additional business growing out of the inevitable reshipment to points of consumption Low railroad rates are the natural result The railroads carry goods to these natural terminals more cheaply than to other points at the same or less distance, because it is good business policy to do so First the large volume of business justifies a low wholesale rate just as a hogshead of sugar sells at a lower price per pound than a single pound Second, the fact that all traffic carried into a natural distributing center gives rise to new traffic going out of it, warrants railroads in making every effort to increase the volume of traffic by low rates Railroads have no interest in building up cities *per se* They have an interest in increasing their business and swelling their revenues, and this is served by making low rates to natural distributing points The interest of the railroad companies and of the communities dependent upon the distributing points is common The same policy that gives one large business and revenues secures the other the benefit of low rates and consequent low prices The California commissioners see this very clearly They say

Our people are large consumers of all the manufactures and many of the products of the Eastern states, and are vitally interested in securing advantageous rates for transportation from remote states which manufacture largely and cheaply, and supply products we need Within a very few years our people have become large producers of commodities for which the home market is very limited, but for which there is a vast market in the Eastern states and for the expansion of the marketing area for our products we must in a large measure look for continued prosperity Any law restricting our markets whether as consumers or producers is, of doubtful public utility There can be nothing wrong or harmful to the interests of the people of this nation in the greatest freedom for interchange of commodities between the East and West, and a law which makes the rates and facilities to and from remote sections of this great country dependent on the interests of intervening sections of comparatively trifling importance to us cannot be beneficial in its results to this state This we think wrong on highest public grounds, nor can we conceive it to be in any sense to the real interest of our people

This reasoning is not only true of California but it applies to every community so placed that it can draw its supplies or ship its products to one of those few points designed by nature for distributing depots The interstate commerce law is aimed primarily at cities like St Paul Portland and San Francisco but its blow really falls upon the smaller cities and rural communities which draw supplies from them The consumer pays the freight in the ultimate settlement The increase of railroad rates to Portland means the increase of wholesale prices to Corvallis and Walla Walla, and the increase of retail prices to the farmers of the Willamette and Walla Walla valleys The people of California have come to understand this and those of Oregon and Washington should not be behind them in clearness of perception The real effect of the long and short haul clause is plainer on the Pacific coast than elsewhere because of our distance from the points of origin of traffic But it is everywhere the same Like all clumsy interferences with natural law the operation of this section is hurtful to many and beneficial to none Some day the people of the whole country will awake to this fact and bring to bear upon congress a pressure for the repeal of the long and short haul clause that will be simply irresistible

COUNTRIES YET NEW

Man has had a long career on this planet, yet it is surprising when one stops to think about it how much "new country" the globe still affords That is, how many regions still habitable and destined to become seats of high civilization and great empire are still little known

These regions are almost wholly in the Southern hemisphere Hitherto the energies of man have been exerted almost wholly in the North Every Northern region as far as practicable has been explored and largely occupied, and men from the North are now turning their attention more than heretofore to the regions south of the equator The continents of Africa and South America are the fields of his new enterprise and endeavor and they are getting attention from both the Northern continents

Exploration is opening Middle South Africa to the knowledge of mankind and it cannot be doubted that within the next half century the foundation of important states will be laid in this region Private enterprise and individual courage are supported already by the help of several civilized governments England, Portugal Belgium France, Germany are taking active interest and lending substantial assistance It is highly probable that brisk occupation of the interior of Africa by Europeans from points on both seaboards of the continent will soon begin This will be the natural result of discovery and exploration

South America, in a general way, is already well known, yet it is an undeveloped region of vast possibilities During some years past a remarkable exodus from Southern Europe to South America has been in progress and it is steadily increasing in volume It is believed that during the present year South America will receive from Europe nearly half a million people The stream flows into the Argentine Republic into Brazil, into Uruguay and Chili This is something new in history for the Latin races hitherto have not been strongly moved by the migratory instinct which has been so prevalent among the races of the North The movement of this stream from the south of Europe to South America shows once more the distinctive disinclination of the Latin and Teutonic race to fuse with each other We have received, indeed some Spaniards, Italians and Portuguese, but no such bodies as are now making their way to South America From the north of Europe the stream still flows to North America but sends only a feeble current to the southern division of the American continent It is a curious thing to note how long racial antipathies and repugnances survive, even under the active intercourse of modern cosmopolitan life People who come to our country from the south of Europe do not readily melt into the mass of our population but retain their own characteristics for a long period, or perhaps never wholly lose them, while those who come from the north quickly assimilate and make themselves perfectly at home

From development of new countries great changes in industrial and commercial affairs affecting the whole world are sure to take place—indeed are taking place now South America is already increasing her agricultural production to an extent that exerts a powerful influence on the markets of the world This production is destined to a further increase that now is scarcely conceivable Added to the increased production of India brought about by the extension of railways throughout that great country it is letting down in the world's markets the price of wheat, it is a growing factor in depreciation of the value of wool Rapid intercourse and low rates of ocean transportation are bringing all the products of cheap agricultural labor throughout the world into more active competition than ever before with our own labor in agricultural pursuits It is an unpleasant fact yet we must face it More and more, as it is studied, it shows the necessity of maintaining conditions at home which will make the largest possible home market

AN AFFAIR OF MARRIAGES

A Paris letter to Labouchere's London *Truth* seems to throw a clearer light upon the immediate cause of the revolution in Brazil than all the newspaper letters and elegrams printed from the new republic According to this writer the discontent of the Brazilian politicians who brought about the expulsion of the Braganza family was caused by two unpopular royal marriages, or rather by an element these marriages introduced into the court Dom Pedro had no male heir and his two daughters though very plain and dowdy persons, like his estimable empress, were very desirable matches and were eagerly wooed by the third rate princelings of Europe, and attracted much attentions from the royal match makers and go betweens who like to busy themselves in these affairs It is notorious that Queen Victoria is the most inveterate match maker in Europe, and it was through her offices, good or bad, as the result may show that Dom Pedro's younger daughter was married to Prince Augustus, of Saxe Coburg a relative of the late Prince Consort Augustus seems to have been not a bad fellow but he had the indiscretion to bring a lot of lusty little princes into the world ahead of his elder brother in-law who had the right to expect to beget an heir to the throne The temporary prospect that a son of Augustus might inherit gave him a factitious importance in the Brazilian court, and encouraged in him pretensions that exacted the jealousy, not only of his relatives but of the ministers and politicians of the empire

This was not a circumstance however to the mischief ultimately brewed by the pretensions of the other son in law of Dom Pedro This personage is the Comte d'Eu of whom so much has been heard pending the decorous expatriation of the royal family He belongs to the younger branch of the French Bourbons and is a cousin or nephew of the pretender of Orleans His marriage with the Brazilian princess was brought about by another royal lady with a taste for match making the Princess de Joinville one of the prolific Orleans group and a relation of the Brazilian empress The Comte d'Eu turned out to be a stirring and ambitious son in-law who itched to help govern Brazil and was eager to anticipate his future position as prince consort He neglected for some years the duty of giving an heir to the throne and this somewhat dwarfed his influence and thwarted his ambition From the birth of his son, however, a few years ago, both increased inordinately The princess royal, his wife the heir apparent to the throne is a comfortable, easy going, domestic sort of person who was quite content to sew on the royal buttons and to leave the politics of the family to her consort Dom Pedro is an amiable old party, too and took no steps to check the growing intervention of his son in law in the government So the Comte d'Eu became in fact the most important personage about the court, although in name only an annex to it by marriage Naturally this indiscreet officiousness soon made him the most unpopular personage in the kingdom Besides the court jealousies growing out of the disappointed hopes of his brother in law there was the political antagonism sure to be excited by the interference of a foreign prince and above all a French prince in the government of Brazil Ever Prince Albert, the most sagacious and tactful of consorts found himself in constant difficulties with the ministers of his wife and queen The Comte d'Eu, who tried to play Albert before his wife was empress and without a fraction of Albert's tact and wisdom was perpetually in hot water with the Brazilian ministers and parliamentary leaders

It is said that a plot was laid long ago to prevent the accession of the princess royal to the throne by declaring a republic upon the death of Dom Pedro The influence of the Comte d'Eu over his wife was such that he would virtually rule in her stead, and the youth of the prince royal threatened a long and dangerous regency if the rights of his mother were set aside without putting an end to the Braganza dynasty This plan was probably known to the Comte d'Eu, and his counter plot to prevent its success would undoubtedly have involved the country in war and bloodshed To avert this these contemporary historians relate that the declaration of the republic was hastened the imperial family hustled out of the country between two days and the new government put in operation before the obnoxious son in law had time to prepare an effective resistance If this story is true and it bears all the marks of probability the revolution is, as was suspected, purely an affair of the palace or at least of the capital, with which the people of Brazil had no more to do than the people of Turkey with the deposition of Murad a dozen years ago The United States senate surely did well to hesitate to recognize a republic set up in this way Its only guarantee of permanence is the apathy of the people and the personal influence of its leaders There is already talk of the restoration of the Braganza dynasty in the person of one of the sons of Prince Augustus who is old enough to rule, free from the odium attached to his uncle and who would have the support of both the German and English courts It may almost be taken for granted that the epoch of revolutions in Brazil just begun after eighty years of peace will not finish itself in one act

The revenue bill introduced in the house last week by Mr McKinley is one affecting the administration of the laws and not the tariff duties It is based upon the administrative parts of the senate bill being in fact, merely an amended copy of that bill as it was passed in January, 1889 The amendments are not many but several of them are regarded as important, The object of the bill is to prevent frauds at the customs houses not only at New York by the undervaluation of goods in false invoices These frauds have been common and extensive in years past and have cost the government millions of dollars in customs revenue The general tariff bill which passed the senate last winter undertook further to guard against these frauds by changing a great many ad valorem to specific duties Of course it is only ad valorem duties that can be evaded in part by undervaluations in invoices The need of this administrative reform tariff bill is generally recognized by both parties in congress and its passage before the end of the session is highly probable

NOT ABOVE CRITICISM

The Dalles *Times Mountaineer* says "The supreme court has decided on appeal that Sandy Olds convicted of murder should have a new trial and we see some of the papers of the state criticising the decision We do not consider this by any means fair journalism The opinions of the supreme court are not above examination or beyond criticism Every public utterance by a public officer is under our system open to examination and criticism by press and people But the *Times Mountaineer* says Every unfavorable criticism of the judgment of the high court is that Sandy Olds is guilty of murder and should be hanged" With great pertinence it might be asked who that knows anything about the case doubts that he is guilty and should be hanged? Who that is to say except a gang of gamblers in Portland a portion of the police force of the city and two or three lawyers of the class who for money can always be engaged on the side of crime and against law justice and the interests of society? Is it to be supposed that the two members of the supreme court who have ordered a new trial know better whether Olds is guilty of murder or not than the court and jury that tried him heard all the testimony and found him guilty? Reverence for law is continually invoked as a shelter for the sharp and immoral practice which constantly attacks and often defeats both law and justice and this same sharp and immoral practice is constantly enlisting a solemn public stupidity on its side and filling its mouth with round phrases in support of the pretense that its methods of obstructing justice and preventing the punishment of crime are the safeguards of society Men who can be bribed and are hired every day with the proceeds of crime to defend crime are voluble in their protestations that they want justice,' and declaim against public expressions that would create prejudice' against crime and criminals That is their trade They pursue it to make money, and great part of their skill is expended in getting a class of people to mumble with reverence the phrases under which they ply their vocation

It turns out that the strongest opposition to the confirmation of the nomination of Judge Brewer in the senate grew out of his decision in the Iowa prohibition cases which was afterwards reversed by the supreme court in which he held that the state could not prohibit the manufacture of beer without compensating the brewers The exact purpose of his decision is not generally understood Judge Brewer held that when the state prohibited the manufacture of beer it must allow compensation for the brewery property thus rendered useless or impaired in value To destroy the earning value of property by forbidding the owner to use it may be considered the same thing as confiscating the property itself He did not as some prohibitionists are claiming rule that the state must pay the full value of the breweries but only the actual damage inflicted by the prohibitory laws The buildings remained and could be used for other purposes and most of the machinery appliances etc could be taken to other states and sold, Allowing all such deductions Judge Brewer held that the state must make good the actual pecuniary loss inflicted on the brewers and must do so before the establishment could be closed Reversing Judge Brewer the supreme court held that a prohibition upon the use of property for purposes which are declared injurious to the public health or morals does not amount to a taking for public benefit, but is a mere regulation under the police power This was a prudent and convenient escape from the awkward conclusions to which Judge Brewer's logic led him and enabled the court to satisfy the prohibitionists Justice Field dissented from the ruling of the court and held with Brewer

The Torrey bankruptcy bill introduced in the house Saturday, an outline of whose provisions is printed elsewhere, is the measure recommended by the national convention of representatives of commercial bodies of the United States, held at Minneapolis in September and known as the Torrey bill It is thought by friends of the Lowell bill that the present bill embodies the wisdom of the other, and that it is a simpler and more comprehensive measure One of the difficulties in the way of the Lowell bill in past congresses was a marked disposition on the part of Western senators and representatives to regard it as a better measure for the East than for the West The Torrey bill is drawn with a special reference to this opposition and it is believed that its provisions will be entirely satisfactory to the West While it is so acceptable to those who indorsed the Lowell bill that they have taken it as a substitute for and successor to that measure The commercial interests of the country have come to general agreement as to the necessity of some federal bankruptcy law If it is true that sectional opposition to the measure has been overcome it is probable that it will become a law during the session

Mr Henry Spalding of Almota Wash writes to the *Palouse Gazette*

The first apple trees ever planted in the new state of Washington, which are still growing were planted by Rev H. H. Spalding at Alpowai, Asotin county, in 1837 The orchard consists of about a dozen trees the largest being over nine feet in circumference The trees were planted by Rev Wolf an old chief of the Nez Perces Indians Rev H H Spalding crossed the plains with Dr Whitman in 1836 and they brought the apple seeds with them and planted them the following spring There are also several large apple trees at Whitman station in Walla Walla that were planted in the same year by Dr Whitman

Since 1882 Omaha has expended $3 385 000 in paving her streets During that period the city has laid fifty two and a half miles of pavement of these descriptions viz

Colorado sandstone	9 2 miles
Sioux Falls granite	4 5 miles
Asphalt	12 2 miles
Cedar block	21 miles
Cypress block	1 57 miles
Brick	1 mile

There is a "pointer" for other cities in the fact that the people of Omaha unanimously say that the investment in these pavements has added immensely to the permanent value of all the real estate in the city

Mr Henry Spalding...

PERSONS WORTH KNOWING ABOUT

Frederick Krupp the head of the great metal and gun foundry has established a fund of $100 000 to enable his employes to build their own houses

Representative Lester of Virginia is a Baptist clergyman the first to sit in the lower house since the Rev J Hyatt Smith of Brooklyn held a seat in that body

Professor Virchow is named as one of the sufferers in Berlin from the influenza epidemic. Ker chow however is what they claim keep repeating with frequency and emphasis

The Rev Sam W Small has left the Methodist and joined the Episcopal church. So soon as he has served the requisite terms as pastor and deacon he will enter upon missionary work in Georgia.

Ex Speaker Carlisle is a great worker and as a democratic leader on the floor of the house he will be under a heavier strain than when he will doesn't... His health which is not robust ... he ... will again overwork himself on the floor

Ka... lumble has given up smoking He used to smoke all day long and got a disorder of the bronchial tube in consequence He now sucks toothpicks filled with camphor and is said to enjoy them

Colonel John C Boone grandson of the pioneer Daniel Boone is living friendless and needy near Sulphur Springs, Ark and a movement for his relief has been started in Missouri Arkansas and Kentucky

General Beauregard is a resident of New Orleans but he did not appear in the Jeff Davis obsequies at any point. The old warrior and still rank lies—or possibly General Beauregard was too busily occupied with his lottery business

Mrs J P Kelson of Pittsburg aged 72, is an aunt of the now world famous Emin Bey Emin Bey whose right name is Jose, Schnitzler was 3 years old when Mrs Kelson left Germany for this country and since that time she has not seen him

Governor elect Campbell of Ohio writes to a member of the Ohio legislature Under no circumstances that might possibly arise would I be a candidate for the United States senate nor would I accept an election if tendered me by the legislature

Mr John A McMahon a prominent Ohio democrat tells ... that the election of Mr Brice as senator will bring evil to the party ... If all the candidates were put upon the same platform as regards wealth there would be a different ... Mr Brice. But Mr McMahon's judgment may possibly be ... by the fact that he is himself a candidate for senator

Lord Salisbury is not a great newspaper reader The only daily which he peruses regularly are the London *Times* and ... His secretaries cut foreign telegrams of interest to him from the other journals He never deigns to look at the liberal newspapers and derives his knowledge of liberal opinions from the speeches of liberal orators The English provincial press is to him an unknown quantity He never looks at the *Saturday Review* for which periodical he used to write

SPIRIT OF THE NORTHWEST PRESS

TO IMPROVE PALOUSE RIVER

Columbus *Chronicle* Last week Farris of Whitman county introduced a memorial in the state senate which demands that such improvements be made in the Palouse river as will render it fit for logging purposes through the year When Columbia county asked of the state the privilege of issuing bonds the Colfax *Gazette* kindly suggested that we raise the money by private subscription The persistent begging of the Whitman county delegates in the state legislature gives the lie direct to former professions of private enterprise In one case Columbia county only asked to build a line to dispose of her own In the other case Whitman county asks aid for the purpose of making a small stream in the county navigable for saw logs at all seasons of the year The Palouse *Gazette* should take up a collection for the mill owners on the Palouse and stop this whining

WASHINGTON FEDERAL APPOINTMENTS

Tacoma *News* (Dem) Representative Wilson and Senator Squire are known to favor the following gentlemen for the positions named Calkins, of Spokane for United States district judge Lloyd H Stout of Tacoma, for United States district attorney Dr Hare, of Ellensburgh or Captain Clark of Yakima, for United States marshal Senator Allen's position is unknown but he is presumably trimming his sails in another direction Wilson is believed to be uncompromising in his devotion to the cause of the above gentlemen while Squire, if left to pursue his own tastes would likewise recommend their appointment

THE COLUMBIA RIVER JETTY

Astoria *Pioneer* The work of building the jetty at the mouth of the Columbia is one of the most noteworthy undertakings ever performed by government engineers A similar work at the mouth of the Mississippi illustrated what could be accomplished and in many respects the Columbia jetty is modeled after it. It is accomplishing more than the most sanguine even anticipated and the money which has been expended so far has been expended so honestly and faithfully as to be highly commended itself

A NEW SCHOOL HOUSE WANTED

Silverton *Appeal* It has been discovered by our citizens that a school district cannot be bonded for a debt except by a special act of the legislature, and as the Oregon legislature will not meet until January 1891 all hopes of building a school house by bonding the district will come to naught The only recourse left is to vote a tax and to raise $1,000 at one fell swoop is not likely to strike our taxpayers very cordially Can any one suggest a method by which Silverton can get a new school house?

SANDY OLDS'S NEW TRIAL

I depend on *West Side* Sandy Olds a noted gambler in Portland, who killed Bill Webber, another gambler is granted a new trial The ground of the granting of a new trial are flimsy in the extreme We are glad to know that Judge Lord dissented even if Strahan and Thayer did not Money rightly used will do almost anything The funds for defending this Olds are subscribed by gamblers, and gamblers know how to use their associates Sandy Olds may now escape the clutches of the law

APPARENTLY A RARE ACT

Centralia *News* Ex President Cleveland at tracted considerable attention the other day in a New York elevated train because he got up and gave his seat to a homely faced working girl and then stood hanging on to a strap all the way down to Cortlandt street The rarity of the act in New York probably caused as much comment as the eminence of the actor

THE VALLULA CITY COUNCIL

Wallula *Herald* The women of Milton, Or, have nominated a full ladies ticket for the city election If Milton's council is like Wallula's it would be a God send if they were elected

PLEASANTRIES OF PARAGRAPHERS.

He is a pretty foolish man who thinks that the grass widow is green—*Boston Post.*

Perfection is made up of trifles but it is no trifling matter to attain perfection —*Somerville Journal*

It is the unmarried lady who can give her sisters points on the art of how to manage a husband —*Boston Courier*

One is never so devoutly oblivious to worldly affairs as when the plate reaches one's particular pew —*Philadelphia Inquirer*

The Titans made a great deal of trouble in mythological times and the tight uns make much mischief now —*Pittsburg Chronicle.*

Judge—"If I get as intoxicated as you do, I'd shoot myself" Prisoner— If you was as intoxicated as I am you couldn't hit the barn door.—*Texas Siftings*

Will the coming man fly? asks a scientific writer He may or may not In the meantime will the man who is already here take a walk?—*Oil City Blizzard*

Blunt word— What's this talk about abolishing congress? Caucus— Hadn't heard of it. B— Why this scheme for compelling members and senators to pass a civil service examination —*Hutchinson (Ka) News*

First Kentucky Citizen—Our county is going to vote on the liquor traffic Are you in favor of putting it down? Second Kentucky Citizen—Yes sir I am in favor of putting it down You don't happen to have any about you, do you?—*Time.*

Prospective Tenant—But I thought you wrote me that the house had a wide prospect on the mountains There are nothing but mountains of dirt where the aqueduct is being dug O but my dear madam you could not possibly expect them to be made of chocolate at the rent named, —*Fliegende Blatter*

Charlie—I love the old fashioned homes with their great cheerful fireplaces Henry—Can't say that I do Did you ever see the one down to my girl's house? Charlie—No, I never knew there was a fireplace in the house Henry—There is though It is located just outside the front door at the top of the steps.—*Kearney Enterprise.*

First Tramp Actor—Horatio, my boy, I've struck it at last Second Tramp Actor—Who are you with? First Tramp Actor—With Juggins Ten Nights in a Barroom company Second Tramp Actor—You won't ever get a cent First Tramp Actor—Maybe won't but they are going to have real whisky and free lunch in the drinking scenes. See?—*Terre Haute Express*

Dom Pedro's Property Confiscated

Lisbon Dec 22—Dom Pedro and the empress of Brazil to-day started for Coimbra The news of the provisional government's action suppressing the allowance to the ex emperor has been withheld from Dom Pedro by the advice of his physicians

Rio Janeiro Dec 22—The decree relating to Dom Pedro besides suppressing his allowance orders the confiscation of his property and forbids the return of the imperial family to Brazil for two years

ALL QUIET IN BRAZIL

New York Dec 22—The steamer Lassett arrived to day She left Rio de Janeiro December 1 Captain Randle reports everything quiet there and that the people seemed reconciled to the new order of things.

London Dec 22—The Brazilian legation announce that the illness of President da Fonseca is not serious

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THE CITY'S BIG HOTEL.

Return of Mr Charles E. Leland of "The Portland."

WHAT THE MANAGER HAS TO SAY

The Two Dredges Have Been Brought From Down the River.

THEY BOTH HAVE DONE GOOD WORK

Sunday Along the Harbor—Something About the Influenza—Colville Reservation—Wants to Meet Corbett—He Was Mad

Mr Charles E Leland manager of The Portland, who went East some four months since to secure the necessary cook help kitchen furniture laundry outfit etc, for the big hotel, has returned looking not a whit the worse for his trip to the bleak country way off there, and is genial and jovial as becomes the typical Boniface He is accompanied by his wife a sprightly and vivacious lady, who already feels at home in, and has formed a favorable impression of our city

They have been through The Portland and Mr Leland is much pleased with the work done on the building since he left The office he says, will be a very fine one and the fireplace the handsomest one in the country The dining room finishing is very fine, and the ladies ordinary, with its oaken beams in the antique style is beautiful The handsome mahogany cabinet mantels and mirrors now being put in place in the ladies parlor will make it one of the finest rooms of the kind imaginable

Mr Leland bought the most complete and magnificent outfit for the kitchen which it was possible to obtain There will be thirty six feet of ranges, a sixty and a forty gallon copper stock boiler eighteen foot steam table broiling apparatus and all the other appurtenances of the best, costing in all about $5000 In short the kitchen will be one of the show rooms of the hotel, which Mr Leland will be pleased to show to all who wish to visit it The machinery for making ice and for the cold storage are on the way and are the best that could be procured

The complete outfit for the laundry is in the building and the electric chandeliers are also ready for putting up

The furniture is all ready to be shipped Mr Leland saw it while he was East and was perfectly satisfied with it. It is very handsome and in the latest styles

The carpets, ten carloads, will arrive to-day Mr Leland will put a force of men to work to morrow to clean out the building and Mr H F Gullixson says he will put a double force of sewers at work and have 500 yards of carpet sewed per day and will lay the carpets from the top of the building down as fast as possible

Mr Leland says when the furniture and fixtures are in The Portland will be one of the most elegant and best equipped hotels in the country He expects to be able to open it to the public on February 22 the birthday of the Father of our country

From his extensive experience and acquaintance Mr Leland has been enabled to select a staff of employes each of whom is a master in his line The head cook is a Swiss Joseph Poggi by name who has been head cook for the past eight years at a hotel at Richfield Springs N Y, a fashionable watering place patronized by the elite of the country

Mr George Reichstein formerly of the Clarendon hotel Saratoga, will have charge of the bakery and pastry department. Miss Anna Robinson will have charge of the twenty five chambermaids who will be models of neatness and propriety The bell boys and waiters will be colored Mr T H Frazie the head waiter, late of the Kimball house Atlanta Ga, will have a crew of thirty men under him Mr E B Irving will have charge of the restaurant and will have fifteen assistants.

Mr Joshua Gray the head hall man, will have a force of ten bell boys under him He is one of the most genteel and accomplished of his class and the force of waiters are all genteel and well trained and will give satisfaction to the patrons of the house

The clerks have not been decided upon as yet, but they will be equal to the occasion, and will correspond with everything else in the hotel by being first class

THE DREDGES BROUGHT UP

They Have Made a Very Successful Campaign Against the Bars.

The city dredge and the government scoop dredge have completed their work at Walker's island and Martin's island bars in the Columbia and were brought up to the government boneyard Saturday There is now a clear channel from Portland to the ocean, carrying twenty feet at extreme low water

The councilmen who have aided in securing that much to be deserved state of affairs and the United States engineer force who did all in their power to bring it about are deserving of the thanks of our citizens and they do not intend to let well enough alone but will endeavor to have the channel made twenty four feet deep next summer and it is not likely that this channel will ever be allowed to get filled up The city dredge has proved a most admirable and powerful machine, and care will be taken that she is not allowed to lie at the levee and rot, as some of the councilmen have wished her to A dredge that can remove 9000 cubic yards of dirt in a week is worth taking care of and there is plenty of work for her to do in this harbor

THE EPIDEMIC INFLUENZA

The County Physician Discusses Its History and Symptoms.

The dispatches have been announcing the arrival in New York and the westward spread of the influenza. A reporter asked Dr C C Strong Saturday about the symptoms of the disease

The disease is an epidemic said the doctor and is known as an influenza. It is characterized by a variety of symptoms

We have general and local symptoms The general symptoms are sudden and extreme prostration depression of spirits, with loss of energy, then intermittent fever of a somewhat low degree The local symptoms are mainly of the head sometimes of the lungs, and are catarrhal in character

It is not dangerous in the young and robust unless complicated with some of the severer diseases, such as pneumonia (lung fever) pleuritis, bronchitis. It is somewhat dangerous to life in the aged, in weak persons those affected with pulmonary diseases and in the intemperate It is usually epidemic in character and widespread It affects two fifths to four fifths of the population of a district within from thirty to sixty days the usual time it remains in a neighborhood, so you see that it spreads rapidly

The epidemic usually affects a person from four to nine days but he may be somewhat longer recovering from the effects of the disease It is not new as some seem to think and its course is about the same every time It usually starts in the East and spreads in time all over Europe and this country

It has been epidemic in 1510 1557, 1729 1738, 1743 1762 1775 1782 1830, 1837, 1841, 1844, 1847 and 1851. Its usual routes have been the same as those of Asiatic cholera, but there are no relations of cause and effect between the two

SUNDAY IN THE HARBOR

The Challenger Arrives—Sna boat and Dredger—The Orpheus and Its Home

The Alameda will be in the harbor to morrow

Work has been commenced on a new pontoon for the Cyclone's Albina landing It is to be some 80x50 feet in dimensions and will have a comfortable and commodious waiting room It will occupy the same place as the present one, and will be completed in about thirty days at a cost of $600

Machinery has been shipped from the East for the new Albina boat Typhoon This is to be much larger than the Cyclone with a capacity for 150 passengers She will take the Cyclone's place as soon as she can be made ready the latter going into the shipyard for repairs The Typhoon will cover the route until spring when the Cyclone will be put on to make alternate trips with her

The government snagboat Willamette came up from Walker's island Saturday night and had a pretty heavy load to tow, assisted by the propeller Lincoln There were the city dredge the Osgood dredge Santiam and five government scows St. Helens was left at 11 A M and the boneyard reached at 7 30 Here the dredges and barges were left and the snagboat proceeded up to D street where she is now lying After towing the city dredge up to the city levee the snagboat will go into winter quarters at the government boneyard

Among the many curiosities which the Santiam picked up with the dipper is a two ton granite sinker which had been used as a buoy It will be turned over to the Mermaid and it will probably be used for a new buoy at Walker's island The huge stone was directly in the channel, and it was fortunate that no ships touched upon it. At St Helens bar the dipper picked up an anchor with forty feet of chain attached, and ropes, old clothes, sacks and many curious things

It had been purposed to make a trip up the Willamette with the snagboat but as the river is rising and the snags are under water it has been given up

A reporter boarded the Challenger at Flanders wharf yesterday afternoon and found Captain Curtis of the Starbuck there glad to greet an American captain, for the Challenger is the first ship outside of coasters that has entered Portland harbor since the Starbuck anchored in the Columbia 1 July

Captain L H Thompson, of the Challenger has followed the sea for forty years, and has had no mishaps in that long time, barring the occasional havoc which trade winds play with sails and rigging

The Challenger sailed from New York the 14th of last July Her experience between 50 degrees and the equator was much as other ships are reporting and as those now so long out must have encountered The lower fore and main topsails were lost from the cape up to 59 degrees very heavy gales prevailed The first officer was sick from the cape up The crew was discharged at Astoria and it is yet undecided whether he Challenger or Starbuck will reship here or there. Captain Thompson of the Challenger, and L O Chapman both invested in Astoria real estate

The Challenger's cargo (the usual heavy invoice of kerosene, several hundred tons of steel rails for the Southern Pacific fence wire, and the ... the six boilers two engines and other machinery of a large sawmill plant

A pleasant home is that on board the British ship Orpheus of Greenock now lying at Montgomery dock Captain Young is accompanied by his wife a comely British matron and their two daughters Lizzie and Emma. Mrs Young and Lizzie were here thirteen years ago this year when Captain Young brought hither the new ship Norval

"We do not follow the sea because we love it I assure you said Mrs Young and the time we spend in port is our happiest The few pleasant days we have aboard ship we enjoy of course but the stormy weather is anything but agreeable No we do not always go out with the captain I have been twice to Calcutta twice to Java But we have been five years at the Greenock home without making a voyage We were glad to reach Port and harbor, for we had a long and stormy voyage We received quite a supply of letters and papers, twenty four in all, and are now busy answering them as you see We have also been renewing the many pleasant acquaintances we formed when here thirteen years ago"

It was the 9th of November that the Orpheus, in 4 degrees north and 119 deg west, lost her fore topgallant mast foretopmast head, and a good many sails from all the masts. Contrary winds were encountered in the North Pacific and very hard blows off Tillamook rock She passed within three miles of Cape Horn in a smooth sea and a speed of thirteen knots.

TO OPEN THE COLVILLE RESERVATION.

A Rich Body of Land Withheld From Settlement in Eastern Washington

Representative M H Randall, of Stevens county Washington is at the St. Charles. He expects to leave for Spokane Falls this evening He is the author of a memorial to congress, which has passed both houses of the Washington legislature praying congress to open the Colville Indian reservation to settlement.

"The opening of this reservation" said Representative Randall yesterday, would greatly aid the development of Eastern Washington, which is now being settled at a rapid rate The reservation is in the western part of Stevens and contains about 2,500 000 acres It is irregular in shape and contains, but there are some fine rich valleys, well timbered The streams abound with trout and of game there is no end

"The reservation is rich in minerals Gold silver, copper lead and marble have been found. No prospecting of any consequence has been done, the land being held by the Indians. Stevens county is naturally a mining county The Old Dominion mine has yielded $300,000 in silver and lead during the last three or four years, of which about $200 000 has been clear profit. It has been necessary to haul the ore 100 miles over a rough road to Spokane Falls to ship it.

"The Colville tribe numbers 2000, of whom about 500 live on the reservation the rest being scattered through Stevens Spokane and Okanogan counties, Those on the reservation are thrifty and prosperous and raise and sell wheat. If the reservation were divided each Indian would have 5600 acres. If the usual plan of allotment were pursued there would be plenty of land for bona fide white settlers The opening of the reservation would bring 5000 families to Stevens county, which means an increase of 25,000 in the population

McCLARNEY, THE "IRISH GIANT."

He Is Very Anxious to Meet Professor Corbett in a Glove Contest.

First and last considerable has been said in the papers about the willingness of certain men in Portland to back the "Unknown," against either Professor Jim Corbett or Dave Campbell, for any sum from $250 to $1000, for any number of rounds with gloves. Much conjecture has been indulged in as to who the "Unknown" is He proves to be James McClarney the "Irish Giant." Last night McClarney presented himself at this office to relate his offer He is a large, tall, muscular built man weighing about 200 pounds and rather raw-boned He looks, in fact like a modern Hercules, and has a very determined appearance

McClarney came to Portland about the time Pat Killen did last summer Since then he has been making his home in this city. He sparred at the Standard theater several times with Billy Smith the man who made things so tropical for George La Blanche the Denver some time ago McClarney came from Chicago Ill. He has the reputation of being very clever in addition to his weight and great strength He says he is willing to make a match with Corbett for $1000 a side with gloves or any number of rounds. In fact he is very anxious to meet Mr Corbett with the 'mits, He has backers whose money is ready at any time A statement was made in the *Evening Telegram* that Mr Corbett had shaken $1000 in McClarney's face

"This is entirely untrue" said the "Giant" indignantly to an OREGONIAN reporter I should like very much indeed to meet Corbett for $1000 with gloves for 10 or any number of rounds My backers stand ready with the cash As to my reputation as a pugilist I consider it is better than Corbett's The fact can be proved by Richard K Fox of New York Corbett's reputation will not suffer by meeting me All efforts that have been made by my backers to get Corbett to sign for a contest have proved fruitless. I should like to contest for the ability of Portland and state of Oregon as I expect to make my home here If Corbett and his friends mean business they can be accommodated at any time and place"

Several men who were present expressed their desire to back the "Irish Giant." From his appearance, it is no hazard to say that he would make it quite interesting for any of the boys.

HE TOOK HIS MEDICINE

A Man Picked Up a Receipted Bill and Forthwith Grew Very Wrathy

A well known old resident of this city rushed into Dr O P S Plummer's drug store Saturday, with fire in his eye and a tropical temperature on the region of his collar, and with some warmth and considerable use of expletives, said he had bought his last dose of physic in that establishment. He always paid his bills, and had paid last month's bill when presented and had a receipt for it, and now he had received another, had found it on his desk to day That was no way to do business — etc etc A hasty examination showed that his statement was correct and upon the bill being examined, it was found that it was not from O P S. Plummer at all, but from John Donnerberg plumber. The irate citizen hastened to Mr Donnerberg's establishment and asked them to listen to his tale of woe Before he had got through with it a clerk discovered that the bill was properly receipted, and that all the ado had been about nothing The irate citizen fell down and concluded that he must have accidentally placed the receipted bill on his desk himself, and, to make matters straight, gave an order to have all his pipes overhauled and then wended his way to the drug store and said meekly that he was sick and did not feel very well anyhow and he ordered half a dozen bottles of citrate of magnesia, a pint of black draught, and a dozen boxes of pills and a pound of quinine, to cure his biliousness and said they might put in anything else they thought would be good for him and charge it in his' next bill

HAS HE SKIPPED HENCE?

Reports Are Afloat That C W. Brooks Has Levanted

C W Brooks alleged manager of the alleged Chicago Land Company, who had an office at 131 Fifth street, is supposed to have levanted. A notice posted on the door at his place is as follows

All parties interested in the timber claims located from this office are requested to meet here at 3 P M Monday December 23 This notice is signed Common Sufferers, and it is said there are about 100 of them and they are out about $35 each Brooks went to Seattle some days since, and from there wrote to his office boys saying that the people here had gone back on their contracts and his address in future would be Canada. The boys distributed the office furniture among themselves and closed the office The general desire for acquiring timber lands has produced a crop of sharpers who prey upon the unsophisticated and unwary There are a number of capitalists in the business of acquiring timber lands but they want the earth and about the best terms they offer are $50 to a man who will perjure himself to put them in possession of land worth several thousand dollars

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CHRISTMAS AT THE JAIL.

Sheriff Kelly Will Furnish the Prisoners With a Turkey Dinner.

How the Prisoners Are Faring—A Talk With the Jailer—Where the Men Are Kept—The New Steel Cages.

By calling at the county jail an OREGONIAN reporter yesterday found the prisoners in a state of joyful expectancy, for Sheriff Kelly, with his usual generosity, has promised, and we see that on the 25th a good old fashioned turkey dinner will be provided the seventy men who constitute the county's lodgers

"Of the seventy inmates under our charge," said Jailor Hoxsie, "thirty three are kept in the right-hand corridor of the east wing, the same corridor that contains the cell from which Gay, the horse thief and his fellow prisoners made their escape by digging out last summer In the corridor to the left of the main hallway are kept twenty criminals. The witness room contains a number more Three of the worst men are in the three steel cages, known as "murderer's row," two more are in the hospital room, and three trusties are working at various odd jobs around the premises."

In the cell formerly occupied by the escaped young California lunatic, L G Sagel, was Al Cody He was with his wife and child, eating his dinner which is brought to him every day, so that he is not obliged to partake of prison fare

"Sandy" Olds', the murderer John O'Brien, who is awaiting his trial, before Judge Deady, on an indictment charging him with robbing the mails of the postoffice at Albany, and John Case the would be Chinese chop robber, occupy the three steel cages to the left of the main hall. Case is still wearing his head "in a sling," the effects of his having came in contact with the Chinese woodchopper's hatchet. Case stands convicted of this crime but is now held, awaiting his trial on the indictment charging him with robbing and attempting to murder a young man, named Louis Kelich, down on Columbia slough, a few weeks previous to his attempt to clean out the Chinamen As there is not sufficient room in the cages for proper exercise, these three worthies are allowed from four to six hours a day in the large hospital room, where they spend the time pacing the floor, with gloomy countenance, conjecturing on the possible outcome of their trials.

Among the inmates of the large corridor are James T. Barrey, of East Portland who was convicted and fined $500 for bigamy Barrey stoutly proclaims his innocence, and says his attorneys will make a motion for a new trial before the ten days given the defense by the judge will have passed.

Billy Baker and John Frances, the two Indians held under an indictment by the United States grand jury, whereby they are charged with outraging the person of a little Indian girl named Winnie Johnson of the Siletz reservation, are also among the inmates The red men claim they are not guilty of any crime, and that it is a case of malicious prosecution Baker is an Indian policeman, and says he and Frances were sent after two little "klootchmens" that had ran away, and that they overtook them before they had crossed the reservation lines and brought them back. They claim the girl was bribed by their enemies to swear falsely. The men will be given a fair trial to prove their innocence, but the general impression is that they are guilty

Three Chinamen are also in the same corridor, Chu Tock, the Chinese actor held for shooting a fellow Celestial, Ah Sam, convicted of perjury, last spring and whose case was granted a stay of proceedings by the supreme court until his attorney argues the motion for a new trial, and Ah Lee, who was sent up from Justice Tuttle's court for having opium in his possession.

William Hawthorn, the man who was discovered one morning last summer in Dr Welch's office on First street, and who when discovered jumped from a one story window to the pavement, is still trying the insanity dodge His trial is set for January 9

William Wallace, colored who stole a watch from a Chinaman in the Gem saloon, not long since, amuses and manages to partially keep up the spirit of the rest of his cell companions, by his negro songs and dances He is about as jolly a specimen of the colored race as can be found and he takes his "hard luck" philosophically

C W McKnight, a Pullman car porter indicted for having stolen $2 from a young lady's purse that was left hanging on a coat hook in a restaurant, will have his trial before Judge Stearns on January 16.

Bell Hazelwood, also colored looks very moody, and feels blue. His brother was sent to penitentiary a few weeks since for larceny, and he is still, failing to have the required $75 with which to liquidate the fine Judge Stearns saw fit to impose upon him for trying to shoot the hand off of Jerry Leger the bar-keeper of the coon joint" on Second and A streets, is now forced to languish.

Bartholomew Leusterheister, a German, is awaiting his trial, charged by his wife of being guilty of a very revolting offense—criminal intimacy with his own daughter for five years past He is shunned even by the Chinamen, with whom he is forced to sleep. The other inmates of the jail will have nothing to do with him, and his only resource from their taunts is in seeking the companionship of the Chinamen, whose language he doesn't understand.

The steel cages in the new south wing will soon be ready for occupancy The plumbers are now busy putting in the steam heaters When finished, all of the worst cases will be immediately transferred from the unsafe corridors to the new fire and escape proof quarters "Sandy" Olds will also occupy a new cage with the rest.

Said Mr Sprague, who shares the duties of jailer with Mr Hoxsie "There is always more or less risk to run when changing the prisoners from the cells to the larger rooms for their necessary daily exercise. But when the new cages are ready for occupancy all this changing will be done away with. The new cells are equipped with closets and bathtubs, and when the time comes around for the exercise all I have to do is to pull one or two of the handles to that patent concern, and all the doors to the cages are opened The men can then take their walk up and down the long steel corridor that has been warranted to defy both file and saw The only time," concluded Mr. Sprague, "that they will have to be taken out when once put in there will be when they are brought to the courtroom for trial."

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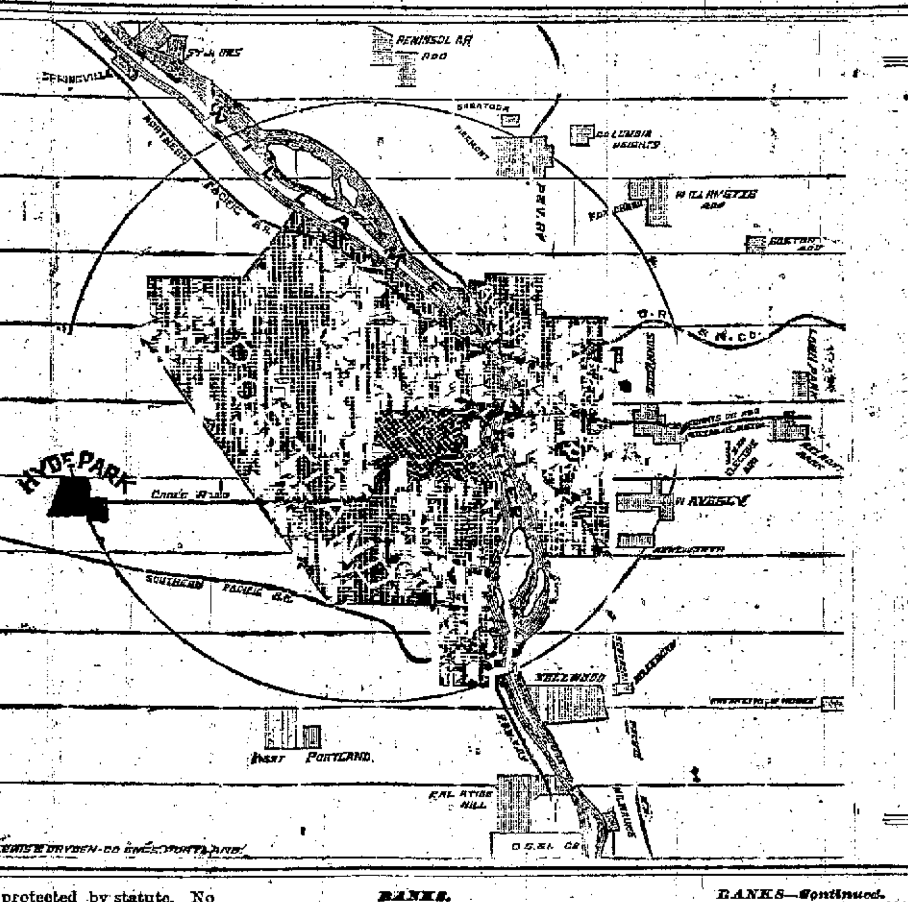

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THE WASHINGTON MEDICAL BILL.

POMEROY, Wash., Dec. 20.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

House bill No. 27, submitted by Powers to the legislature of Washington, seems to have raised quite a breeze among the various so-called schools and system of medicine.

Your columns state that on the day the bill came up, the homœopaths were out in full force, and a petition was presented, setting forth in substance that the Powers bill is a blow at the liberties of the people, and that the allopaths are seeking to exclude all other schools of medicine, and acknowledge by their acts that they can not stand in the face of honest competition, and therefore seek to compel people by law to patronize them exclusively.

The Powers bill may be defective, and perhaps in some respects is, but what class of doctors do we always find raising a howl against legislation that would compel men to know something about medicine before attempting to practice it? Is it not mostly men who are plying their vocation without a diploma or anything to show they have ever studied medicine or the collateral branches? Along with the homœopaths and eclectics, we find physiomedicists, electrotherapists, biochemicists, Christian science healers, magnetic and faith doctors, and many others. It is not my aim to insinuate that these all stand on the same level, but they work together to oppose legislation requiring professional attainments and knowledge to qualify the candidate for practice.

Many of these so-called systems of medicine, have no system, no schools, no text books, and no regular curriculum of study. Multitudes of these so-called doctors have no knowledge of the structure or workings of the human organism, any more than any common blacksmith or sheepherder.

It is against such, and these noisy street fakirs, and conjuring and advertising charlatans, who offend decency and common sense, that we would level the law. No man has any right to be tampering with the delicate organism of the human system, pretending to work cures, who has no knowledge of its structure or functions.

All physicians, or persons pretending to take upon themselves the office of physician, ought to be required by law to submit to an examination in anatomy, physiology, chemistry, pathology, materia medica, practical and operative surgery and obstetrics. These are the main branches of study required by every regular medical college. As to the matter of theory and practice and therapeutics there is a difference. The first-named subjects or branches are purely scientific. They are not, and cannot be allopathic, nor are they homœopathic nor eclectic. These studies are above all pathies and isms, and should be understood thoroughly by all physicians, regardless of school, before being permitted to practice. We want a law that will require and enforce a knowledge of these subjects. Since those branches are necessary to a correct understanding of the human organism, and its physiological and pathological workings, it would seem that there ought to be no objection to requiring a knowledge of them. Our people should understand that there is no such thing as allopathic anatomy, or allopathic chemistry, or homœopathic physiology. These sciences are founded on immutable laws of life and matter, and change not to suit any pathy or creed. One might just as well speak of homœopathic arithmetic, or allopathic grammar, as to speak of these sciences belonging to any particular school or sect. Science knows no dogma and no creed.

What we want, and what the people want, is that those who prescribe for diseases shall know something about the structure and physiology of the human system, and the pathology of diseases and how to treat them. It certainly is not asking too much to ask this of every man, irrespective of his medical school, who would take the treatment of the sick into his hands. To permit the peripatetic tramp or crank, who has made a failure of everything else in life, to open up an office as "doctor," is an imposition upon the public. Who does not know of more than one such so-called "doctor," whose library consists of a 50 cent pamphlet, that professes to give infallible remedies for every disease, and classifying the medicines by numbers on little boxes or bottles, without giving even a hint of what the packages contain? The self constituted "doctor" perhaps does not know what or how much of anything he is prescribing. As to anatomy, physiology, chemistry, etc., he knows simply nothing. Our laws should be directed especially against such irregular and ignorant impostors. I would therefore suggest that a bill to regulate the practice of medicine, should require that every applicant for license to practice, no matter what his school or creed, should pass a thorough and impartial examination in anatomy, physiology, chemistry, pathology, hygiene, surgery and obstetrics, and that such examination should be based on regular standard scientific text books.

Having passed this examination, if the candidate wishes to practice the regular, the homeopathic, or eclectic systems of medicine, let him be examined in therapeutics and theory and practice of medicine by a board of examiners consisting of physicians, regularly graduated from these systems of medicine and using their own standard text books as the basis of examination.

This would require all practitioners, regardless of school or pathy, to be well informed on the great fundamental branches of medicine, and would shut out the ignoramuses, and probably protect the public as well as it can be protected by statute. No set of physicians would then have any just cause for complaint. It would also be better for the public that every man aspiring to the practice of medicine should have at least a good academic education. I would suggest that the clause providing that a license may be revoked for unprofessional conduct should define the particular kind of unprofessional conduct, on account of differences of opinion, that might arise. I would further suggest that a license may be revoked for drunkenness, frequenting gambling places, or other disreputable resorts; for grossly immoral conduct, procuring or being accessory to procuring abortions; for advertising in any other way than a card stating place of business, office hours, and mere mention of any specialty. With such a law, it seems to me, both the public and the doctors ought to be reasonably well satisfied.

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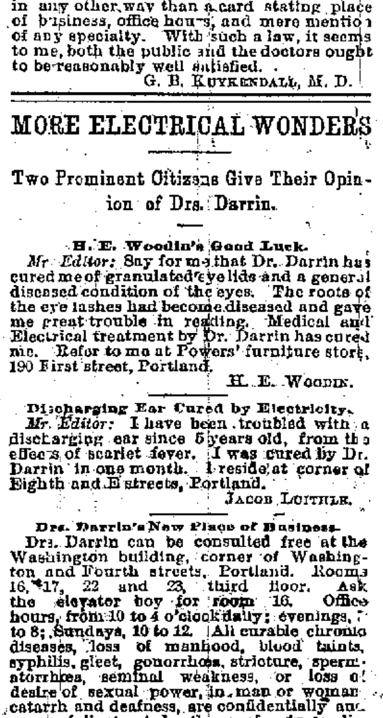

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rogress in the K. of P. Ritualistic Work—Odd Fellow Installations—Elections and Visitations.

Masonic.

Installations occur on St. John's day, 27th inst. ll are private

Harmony lodge, No. 12, elects its officers to-ight.

Willamette Lodge, No. 2, elected: W. M., Thos. ay; S. W., D. A. C. Paxton; J. W., E. W. Allen; eas., A. P. DeLin; Sec., W. Charleston; Tyler, ustav Wilson.

Portland lodge, No. 55, elected: W. M., H. W. hielsen; S. W., F. W. Baltes; J. W., W. A. Bantz; reas., A. Roberts; Sec., I. W. Pratt; Trustee, J. Moreland.

Portland chapter, No. 3, R. A. M., elected: H. P., ouglas W. Taylor; K., A. Thurlow; S., F. A. E. arr; C. of H., H. W. Thielsen; P. S., C. F. Pear-n; Sec., A. S. Gibbs; Treas., A. P. DeLin; R. A. ., E. S. Larsen; M. F. V., A. Muirhead; M. S. V., A. Crawford; M. T. V., W. A. Bantz; G., Gustav ilson.

Washington chapter No. 18, R. A. M., has in-alled: Thomas H. Brickell, M. E. H. P.; John Sperry, E. K.; Alonzo Hoyt, E. S.; C. E. Miller, ptain of H.; A. L. Rumsey, P. S.; S. N. Alford, aster 3d V.; W. W. Peaslee, master 2d V.; hilip Flood, master 1st V.; John E. Boynton, reas.; John . Hanson, Sec.; M. Stoker, sen-nel.

OUT OF TOWN.

Eugene Lodge A. F. and A. M. at Eugene City, ected: W. T. Peet, W. M.; B. J. Hawthorne, S. ; H. J. Day, J. W.; F. B. Dunn, Treas.; J. F. obinson, Sec.

Eugene Chapter No. 11, R. A. M. elected: L. N. oney, H. P.; has. Lauer, K.; J. M. Hodson, S.; Beckman, S.; W. T. Peet, Treas.; J. W. John-n, C. H.; W. reston, P. S.; E. Anderson, R. A. ; F. Reisner, 3 V.; J. S. Curtis, 2 V.; J. A. raight, 1 V.; McFarland, sentinel.

Umpqua Chapter No. 11, R. A. M., at Roseburg as installed: M. F. Rapp, H. P.; J. B. Hernor, ng; J. O. Booth, Scribe; N. P. Bunnell, C. of H.; m. Lund, P. S.; J. Jaskulek, R. A. C.; I. Caro, of 3d V.; W. F. Benjamin, M. of 2d V.; B. D. vans, M. of 1 V.; John Rast, Treas.; S. Caro, o.; J. C. Hutchinson, sentinel; N. P. Bunnell, B. Horner and J. Jaskulek were appointed nance committee.

Grand Ronde Valley Lodge, No. 56, Union, in-alled: E. W. Davis, W. M.; F. Didwell, S. W.; Kiddle, J. W.; George Wright, Treas.; R. H. rown, Sec.; J. F. Burleigh, S. D.; J. J. Odale, J. ; C. L. Blakeslee, Tyler.

Grand Ronde Chapter No. 20, R. A. M., elected: T. Wright, H. P.; William Hutchinson, King; L. Blakeslee, Scribe; R. H. Brown, Treas.; Tur-r Oliver, Sec.; S. O. Swackhamer, C. of H.; H. Burleigh, R. A. Comp.; E. W. Davis, G. M. 3d ; C. E. Davis, G. M. 2d V.; F. Bidwell, G. M. 1st ; Ed Kiddle, P. S.; J. W. Kennedy, Guard.

Columbia Lodge, No. 26, Dayton, elected: John erry, W. M.; A. N. Pringle, S. W.; W. M. Garner, W.; R. A. Stanford, Treas.; Benton Embree, c.

G. A. R.

George Wright Post has a resolution on the ble changing the yearly dues from $6 to $11. It mes up Friday night and is very likely to pass. ll the city lodges have their annual dues at $6. he East Portland lodge, Sumner, No. 12, has $5, d is said to be very prosperous, having in the ighborhood of 100 members.

Emily Post, No. 3, at Dayton, elected: A. J. Dex-; Commander; William Bishop, A. V. C.; mer Hayden, J. V. C.; Richard Hill, Q. M.; E. H. yer, Surgeon; John Holman, Chap.; D. B. Kim-ll, Officer of the Day; George Wick, O. G.; A. H. ibbs and William Bishop, Representatives to epartment Encampment; Richard Hill and enry Hunter, Alternates.

Emily Relief Corps at Dayton elected: Miss Ina cGlovy, president; Mrs. Ellen Dorr, S. V. P.; a. Julia Riggs, J. V. P.; Mrs. A. J. Arnold, con-ctor; Miss Anna Hukill, guard; Mrs. D. Guern-y, treasurer; Mrs. Henry Hunter, Mrs. A. J. Ar-old, Mrs. A. F. Kribbs, Mrs. Julia Riggs, Mrs. D. Guernsey and Mrs. Ellen Dorr delegates to the campment.

I. O. O. F.

Samaritan lodge has postponed its installation January 8.

Ellison encampment installs Tuesday night.

The Acme Rebekah degree lodge has received new costumes, and will be glad of a full at-ndance Saturday night.

Mrs. Plymale, secretary of the state convention Rebekah degree lodges, expects to be present at dge Saturday night.

Grand Patriarch Bentley has returned to his me, near Baker City, for the holidays, after hich he will visit the Eastern Oregon encamp-ents.

Orient installs the first and Hassalo the second day in January.

Progress Lodge No. 7 will install their officers ect on the first Tuesday in January.

Harmony encampment elected the following ficers to serve for the ensuing term: L. Ger-ritz, C. P.; George Fuller, H. P.; — Crusak, W.; Ed. Goldsmith, J. W.; C. W. Lemler, ribe; J. L. Smith, treasurer. These officers will t be installed until the third Tuesday in Janu-y. The delay is caused by the sickness of the ribe.

Ellison encampment meets Tuesday evening.

Harmony encampment is organizing a degree am for their own use.

The following Odd Fellows visited Waitsburg dge at Dayton last week: Dr. R. Bories, J. H. ingh, W. A. Newman, A. T. Plummer, John emorest, George Orchard, Louis Wolf, William obson, H. Hallen and Frank Wait.

Knights of Pythias.

Ivanhoe No. 6 is the banner lodge. It has the rgest membership in the state, and they are still dding to their number. There will be five can-dates for the third rank this evening.

Mystic No. 2 is now beginning to wake up and ll have third rank next Thursday evening.

Germania No. 12 claims the largest membership, t it will fall short some. This is a very fine dge and has some of the best citizens as mem-rs.

Scandia No. 1 has a number of applications for xt week. This lodge has only a limited num-r of people to draw from, as the Scandinavians e generally hostile to secret societies, but what ey get make good members.

Willamette division No. 2, U. R., has applica-ns for next Monday evening.

The uniforms for Germania division No. 7, U. R., ve arrived, and it will be instituted this even-g at 8 o'clock in the Armory of Willamette vision No. 2.

There were thirty-one officers from the various dges in attendance at the school of instruction st Sunday, and the officers are trying to see who ll be the best one, as no one will be instructed ho does not know his work fully at the exam-ation in any of the Knights of Pythias lodges. is very gratifying for the D. D. to see such inter-t taken.

A. O. U. W.

The entertainment and ball of Hope lodge, hich should have taken place last Friday even-g, was postponed until Christmas night, on ac-unt of the death of the daughter of the master that lodge.

No. 27 and No. 48, each have a sick member on eir hands.

Multnomah will install their officers in pub-c on the 6th of January next.

On Friday, the 13th of January, three lodges, : Hope No. 1, Industry No. 8 and Portland 27, ll install the officers in public. Masonic hall s been secured for the occasion. A grand ball ll follow.

The grand master and the district deputy have th been sick during the week.

The school of instruction will meet at Work-en's hall, corner Second and Salmon streets, on ursday next.

A new lodge will soon be instituted in Albina. W. H. Wilton gave the unwritten work at the hool of instruction last Thursday evening.

Miscellaneous.

North Pacific Lodge No. 314, I. O. B. B., elected: L. Gumbert; V. P., S. Chaskel; R. S., H. nder; F. S., Isaacs; Tr., S. H. Abraham, A. G. Kahn; H. Brown; Trustees, A. Kauf-an, S. Raphael, M. A. Loetig; Med. Ex., Dr. uswanger; representatives to the grand lodge, Rybke, S. H. Abraham, H. Pander, S. I. Frieden-al, I. Gevurtz, Charles Abraham.

Willamette Lodge, No. 52, U. E. A., elected: C. Wheeler, P.; E. H. Stolte, Com.; M. I. Bur-n, V. C.; K. P. McDonald, A. C.; M. A. Brown, Sec.; Beason, F. Sec. and Treas.; I. McDonald, Guide; Berry, Guard; F. Bruce, Sen.; L. A. Chase, H. Burton, trustees; representative to California and lodge, J. H. Saults. This body meets in bruary.

Sons of St. George.

The following communication has been ad-essed to THE OREGONIAN, and is self-explana-y:

EDITOR OREGONIAN:—A Comical Degree and zzle-Dazzle by the Sons of St. George.—

I am supposed to be a quiet and respected citi-n of English extraction, and was somewhat sur-ised on Saturday evening by receiving an invi-tion to "just step in" to the hall of The Sons of George, and see the sober-sided Englishmen oying themselves. I reluctantly accepted the vitation and was immediately prostrated with ghter; in fact I took the situation in so seri-sly that the lodge physician was compelled to minister something of a renovating nature, be-e I could speak, my sides had split so with ghter.

The lodge was conferring the third degree, and e guests joined in the odes with such zest one uld have thought that they were the perfection earnestness. As the degree was conferred in blic, I think I shall not be giving away any-ing if I copy one of their odes for the benefit of ch of my fellow-countrymen who missed the n:

Tune "Dietch r's Dog."

And now you have passed the third degree,
You need not look so blue,
There's many more outside the door
Will kiss the floor like you;
And won't you laugh as we have done
To see the brothers go through;
Then let's be jolly and all keep mum,
For there's plenty more to do.

After the installation, there was a profuse pply of refreshments served, followed by a con-t, in which most of the prominent British-merican citizens took part. The meeting dis-nded about A. M., and was one of the most ccessful stag parties ever held in Portland.

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ALBINA NEWS NOTES.

Christmas Ladder—Bad Dog Bite—Cold Bath—Charity Ball—High School Needed.

The Baptist Mission Sabbath School will have their Christmas tree and exercises this (Monday) evening, at the new Armory hall. A "Christmas Ladder" will be a pleasing feature of the even-ing.

NEEDS A HIGH SCHOOL.

Albina wants a high school. At the close of the present term a number of pupils will graduate into that school from the Eighth grade "A." It is stated that there is a room unoccupied in the Al-bina school that could be used to start a high school class in. It certainly would be a great ben-efit to Albina to be able to give the high school course to pupils and not compel them to go from this city to continue their studies. Besides the ex-tra expenses that would be incurred for schooling and traveling to and from Portland might have a tendency to prevent some from finishing their ed-ucation that otherwise would do so.

BITTEN BY A DOG.

A little 6-year-old daughter of Mr. J. E. Camp-bell while playing with a dog, accidentally step-ped on its tail, when the animal sprung on the girl and bit her in the face, inflicting a large gash under the right eye. It is thought that nothing serious will follow.

A COLD BATH.

Friday afternoon as Frank Morton was working on a logboom at the Albina sawmill, he acci-dentally slipped into the river. He made several attempts to get out before he succeeded in doing so, when he managed to catch onto a line and pulled himself ashore, rather chilled with his impromptu bath.

ALL FOR CHARITY.

The Ladies' Union Relief Society will give an-other grand masquerade ball the last of this month. This society is determined to raise suffi-cient means to be enabled to build a "Home" that will be a credit to themselves and a blessing to the "friendless."

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

A. J. Smithson, real estate agent, is preparing to build a two-story building on Helm street on his property.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Manly have returned home after an extended visit of five months to the East and California.

Captain Sherman, of the steamer Cyclone, has sold his residence and property on Abernethy avenue for $2800.

An enormous rotary snow plow has been re-ceived at the Terminal yards, so as to be prepared in event of a snow blockade.

The Albina fire company will hold their regular meeting next Saturday evening. All should at-tend as election of officers will take place.

Several lots on Gaines street owned by Mr. Green are being graded. It is his intention to erect four cottages on this property, each to cost $600.

Mr. E. Smith, night weighmaster in the employ of the O. R. & N. Co., has resigned his position and left with his family for Iowa. Mr. S. Hart now fills that position.

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To all whom it may concern, take notice: Pro-posals and bids will be received by me up to noon of Saturday, January 11, 1890, for the construction of a complete system of water works for said city. All bids are to be sealed, and the plans and specifications are to accompany same, and as an evidence of good faith each bidder is required to furnish a certified check in the sum of $500 to said common council.

Proposals will be received to put in said proposed works for the city, or a franchise will be granted to private parties. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

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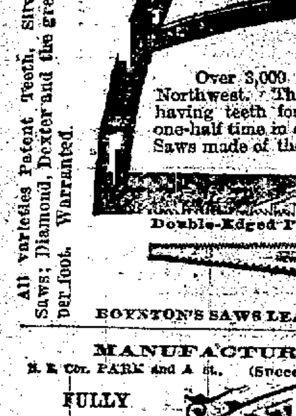

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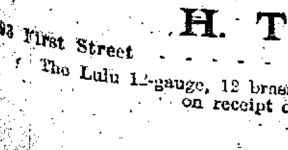

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